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INTERALLIED CONFERENCE OPENS IN BRITISH OFFICE

TEXAS COUNTY FIGHTS TYPHUS QUARANTINE

DAVIS SEVERS ALL LEGAL AND BUSINESS CONNECTIONS

U. S. DIGNITARIES ARE GREETED BY MEMBERS OF BODY

By LLOYD ALLEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, July 16.—The fifteenth important interallied conference since the Versailles treaty was opened this morning in the spacious offices of Premier Ramsay MacDonald at the Foreign Office, where statesmen of ten nations gathered about a large horseshoe table for still another discussion of reparations.

In the enighteen months that have elapsed since the last fateful conclave at Paris, January, 1923, the French and Belgians invaded the Ruhr and Germany ceased payments. More recently, Europe took heart over the experts' report as a basis of settlement and it was to consider ways and means of giving effect to this report that the present conference assembled.

Standing in the doorway of his offices, MacDonald, labor Premier who will preside at his first interallied gathering, welcomed American Ambassador Kellogg and Colonel James A. Logan, Jr., Premier Herriot, of France, accompanied by General Nollett, Minister Destafani and Denava, of Italy; Premier Theunis and Minister Hymans, of Belgium; Viscount Ishii and M. Payashi, of Japan, besides officials and dignitaries from Portugal, Jugo Slavia, Greece and Roumania, and scores of experts and secretaries.

Outside the Foreign Office, a great crowd of Londoners and many American tourists stood all morning watching the delegates arrive.

The dimunitive Japanese statesmen were the first to drive up and after them representatives of the various nations came in quick succession.

There was an air of cheerful optimism in the Foreign Office corridors and statesmen spoke to one another of the possibilities of this time setting the difficult reparations tangle. The fact that Ambassador Kellogg and Colonel Logan took seats at the horseshoe table in the center and were to participate in the deliberations, had much to do with the optimism on the part of the Europeans.

Golf Athletes Of Mexia Win Easily Over Corsicanians

Hardy Eubanks and John Sweatt Tuesday afternoon made a distinct hit as proficient Golfists and lifted the local club high in the estimation of neighboring communities where golf is now a major sport. They defeated Dick and Sam Jackson of Corsicana. The latter hold an enviable record in their home club as among the best golf players in this section of Texas and the Corsicana club was certain that these two gentlemen would have "easy pickin's" against even the best that the Mexia Country club could present. The results of Tuesday were, therefore, quite a surprise as the country club athletes won two up. They will soon be in shape to meet the best to be found in the State. "Watch their smoke."

The Jackson boys play a fast game and highly praised the Mexia Country club golf links.

OPENING PRICES

NEW YORK, July 16.—The stock market opened irregular. United States Steel 100 1-8, up 1-8, Pan-American B 48 1-8; Union Pacific, 136 1-2, off 1-8; General Electric, 241 3-4, off 1-4; Northern Pacific 63; Marland 29 1-8, off 1-8; Erie 31; Baldwin 115 1-4, off 3-4; Studebaker 37 1-4, up 1-4; Reading 57 1-2; General Motors 14 1-2; AT&T 123 1-2; American Can 116 7-8, off 3-8; International Paper 58 1-2; Texas Company 38 1-2.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, July 16.—Foreign exchange opened lower; sterling, 436¼; francs .0513; lire .0430¾; Belgian .0153; marks 4,210 billion.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: EUGENE LIEGE & SAMUEL GOMPERS
Below: CHARLES B. WARREN & BENITO MUSSOLINI

Believing that friendly relations have been completely re-established with Mexico, American Ambassador Charles Beecher Warren will resign at the end of July. Eugene Liegh, famous French race horse trainer, has arrived in America to condition Epinard, crack French thoroughbred, for his series of match races against the best horses in the United States. Samuel Gompers, aged president of the American Federation of Labor, has suffered a nervous breakdown in New York City. The Liberal newspaper L'Oeuvre, of Paris, openly charges that Fascisti Premier Benito Mussolini gave orders to kill the millionaire Socialist Deputy, Giacomo Matteotti, whose assassination stirred Italy.

GENERAL OUTLINE OF CAMPAIGN MADE OUT BY DEMOCRATS

By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, July 16.—After several days of intensive study over campaign strategy, Democratic leaders have laid down a general program of action as follows:

1. John W. Davis, the presidential candidate, will concentrate his major efforts toward winning the territory east of the Mississippi.

2. Charles W. Bryan, the vice presidential candidate, will apply himself mainly to the Middle West agricultural sections with the object of holding territory Senator La Follette would expect to capture.

3. In the Eastern States—Particularly New York, New Jersey, Rhode Island and Massachusetts—Governor Al Smith will be looked to for active stumping support of the ticket.

4. In the far Western and Southwestern States, William G. McAdoo will be counted on for speeches to aid the ticket.

It is generally agreed among the Democratic leaders that Davis must make a strenuous effort to win New York and New Jersey. Apart from his own prestige in this section, Davis would be greatly aided by Al Smith. Already the urge has begun on Smith to have him run again for Governor of New York. There is little doubt he would be able to win.

Cleveland Gripped By Smallpox Spread

CLEVELAND, July 16.—A smallpox quarantine was imposed on 4000 residents of Cleveland, and the order will not be removed until every one in the district has been vaccinated. Four deaths are reported. Seventy patrolmen, roped off the district where twenty-five nurses and doctors are vaccinating.

NO, WE WILL HAVE BANANAS

HOUSTON, Texas, July 16.—The Caribbean Fruit Company, newly organized, has purchased 30,000 acres of Nicaraugan land on which to plant bananas. The company will operate a fleet of banana boats between their plantation and Houston.

CENSORSHIP IS NOW COMPLETE ON NEWS IN BRAZIL

BUENOS AIRES, July 16.—A complete censorship appears to have been clamped down on news from Rio de Janeiro and Santos on the rebellion in the State of Sao Paulo, Brazil.

The United Press has received no dispatches from it staff correspondent in either of these cities for more than twelve hours and is informed that further messages will not be sent from Santos, where the military authorities are in complete control, following the declaration of martial law.

Unconfirmed reports here state that several foreign correspondents in Brazil have been asked to refrain from further dispatches on the situation unless specifically authorized by the Government.

Montevideo dispatches state that press messages from Southern Brazilian points also have been stopped.

It is assumed, however, the correspondents may be allowed to file the regular official communiques which are issued from time to time in Rio de Janeiro by the Federal Government.

Search For Major McLeary Goes On

RALEIGH, N. C., July 16.—Search for Major Samuel H McLeary, missing for two weeks, was continued with fast waning hopes that he would be found alive. Every clue so far has failed to locate any trace of him.

BIBLE SCHOOL IS GROWING ALL TIME

The Daily Vacation Bible School at the Central Presbyterian Church now has one hundred and twenty enrolled. The attendance this morning was ninety. Rev. Aubrey requests that any other children who desire to enter the school enroll tomorrow if they desire full credit for work done. The parents are asked to cooperate with the school by sending the children promptly giving them time to be present at 8:30 a. m. for the opening exercises. When the children are late they miss an interesting and important part of the work. Prizes were awarded to the children for an enrollment contest. No charge is made for enrolling.

EASTERN OFFICE TO BE OPENED IN NEW YORK HOSTELRY

NEW YORK, July 16.—As the first step in getting his campaign definintely under way, John W. Davis announced his severance of all legal and business connections. Democratic Eastern headquarters will be opened in Murray Hill Hotel. The selection of a campaign manager probably will be made tonight or tomorrow.

The plan of the campaign as outlined will include concentration by Davis on territory east of the Mississippi. Bryan will confine his efforts to the middle west with the object of holding territory La Follette would expect to capture.

In the Eastern states Governor Al Smith will be looked to for active stumping, while in the far west and southwest McAdoo will be counted on for active work.

Buffalo Sod Is Great For Grain

GARDEN CITY, Kas., July 16.—W L. Farquaharson left Wichita a year ago in the hole financially.

He drove westward across Kansas until he came to a barren stretch of land northeast of here—and decided to play a hunch.

The land had never been broken. It was a big tract of the original buffalo sod.

Farquharson leased 1,600 acres, on his promise to pay crop rent. He could have had thousands of acres more for the asking.

He rented a tractor and plow equipment on share basis, sowed his wheat and today—

"Well, there it goes," he said, pointing to a fleet of trucks stirring up the dust heading for the Garden City market. "My hunch won and my share of the crop, after all expenses are paid, will bring $35,000."

Rotarians Go To Palestine Meeting

A. H Eubanks, Nelson Forrest, and J. W. Elliott, members of the Rotary club of this city, are expecting to be in Palestine Thursday at which time they will attend a Rotary celebration to be given by the Club of that city. The event is expected to attract Rotarians from all parts of this section of the state.

The Mexia Rotary club will hold its usual weekly session. The program committee is composed of Jim Hodges, Huch Huchingson and Bill Kendrick.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero: Walter Johnson who struck his finest form and let the Indians down with five hits, Washington winning, 4 to 2.

An eighth inning argument was won by the Yankees which gave them a victory over St. Louis, 5 to 4. The argument was whether Outfielder Bennet, of the Browns, caught Meusel's low fly or trapped it. Umpire Owens ruled the latter version was correct.

The Giants put over a deluge of base hits off three Cub pitchers and won, 9 to 4.

The Robins pounded Sothoron for five runs in the first frame and won from the Cards 7 to 4.

Meadows held the Phillies and the Pirates won, 3 to 1.

Eddie Collins and Mostil were hitting like demons and the White Sox won from Boston, 8 to 6.

The Tigers kept up a steady rain of base hits and won from the Mackmen, 11 to 9.

Mays shut out Boston and the Reds won, 7 to 0.

Miss Elise Gibson of this city is spending a vacation of two weeks at Sylvan Beach where she is the house guest of J. N. Royall and family of Corsicana.

ESCAPED WITH $5,000 PAY ROLL BUT LOSES HIS LIFE ON ARREST

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyoming, July 16.—C. N. Fisher, alleged to have absconded with the semi-monthly pay roll of the Gunn-Qualy Coal company, amounting to $5000, was shot to death while resisting arrest at Gunn, Wyoming. Fisher had been pursued for nearly 24 hours with airplanes and by posses on horseback, afoot and in automobiles.

LIMESTONE COUNTY INJURED

The subject of roads and highways involves the pocket books of practically every citizen and tax payer.

Limestone County, due to court proceedings against the State Highway Department, is helplessly placed in the attitude of posing as being bigger than the State of Texas.

The question ought to be asked by every Limestone man and woman, shall the arbitrary opinion of just a few men destroy the whole highway system of Texas?

Is Limestone county to continue to be the only county in the whole state that will not receive state aid?

Are the citizens going to permit a few officials of this county to continue this suicidal pact and allow our state highways to be completely worn out?

The State Highway Department went over the State Roads on January 1st and agreed to maintain them in good condition as they found them.

After traveling over thousands of miles of these state maintained roads, men who know, men who have been over them and citizens generally see wonderful improvement already. The State Highway Department has done and is doing a wonderful work.

The Limestone county suit can not result in good to the county nor to the state. It has already wrought immeasurable harm to this section in that it has gone to the State and Nation and said this is the only county in the state standing out with the selfish, provincial policy of standing out alone and refusing to cooperate for a broad program of state wide highways.

Be it said to the credit of the county that it is the belief of many who have discussed the subject with citizens that only a very small minority of Limestone County men and women are in sympathy with the suit against the State Highway Department and the majority would undo the act of the officials of the Commissioners Court who did not consult them before action. This majority has a remedy. It will be presented to them at the polls all over Limestone county in the primaries of this month.

By such action they will do a great service for their home county. Limestone County has become ridiculous, because of its toleration of this act, in the eyes of the State of Texas. Limestone County's suit is blocking progress and is hurting this county more than any other unit of the state.

Limestone County citizens are as progressive and as intelligent and as loyal as the citizens of any county in Texas. They are getting their eyes open to conditions and to the facts and they may be depended upon July 28 to name members of the Commissioners Court who will immediately withdraw the suit and enable this people to march in step with the whole state in putting over a highway program that will connect the whole state with a net work of better roads and highways.

REUNION GROUND THROBS WITH REUNION SPIRIT

With crowds constantly increasing, with the voices of happy families and friends reunited and paying tribute to veterans of the Joe Johnston camp; with the music of the Elks band rising above the clamor of the big jolly crowd, the beautiful Reunion Grounds are now the mecca towards which thousands of people are journeying in conveyances of all descriptions and the event this year is sure to be recorded by the historian as one of the most successful in history. It is fully accomplishing the purpose for which it came into being. Great addresses, inspiring talks and a general picnic atmosphere pervaded the grounds today and will continue Thursday and Friday with increasing numbers. The concert by the Elks band tonight will help entertain the throngs and another big program is planned for the following two days.

Twenty Four Are Missing In Fire Sweeping Forest

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Forest fires are centering in Northern California and Idaho with at least twenty-four persons missing and two injured.

Fires in Idaho destroyed 250 homes in Pink Green Canyon vicinity.

Gales are sweeping the fires thru Klamath National Forest.

Two hundred men were conscripted to fight the blaze.

STATE WITHDRWS ITS PROTEST IN CASE AGAINST RAILROADS

AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—The state withdrew its request to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a rehearing to enter a protest against the El Paso Southwestern and Southern Pacific combine. The attorney general mailed a written protest to Washington.

Saunders Case Upheld By The Higher Courts

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 16.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals upheld the lower court decision restraining Clarence Saunders, of Piggly Wiggly fame from starting up a chain of stores to make back his lost fortune. The court held that such a system would be an infringement on Piggly stores patent rights.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Thursday generally fair.

West Texas—Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy, probably showers in extreme west.

Cards from Blake Smith indicate that he is now in Montreal, to which point he and his son, Blake, Jr. and Mrs. Smith have journed by auto. They go from Montreal to Maine and are probably there by this time. The trip has been one of great interest.

STARR OFFICERS CLAIM TYPHOID INSTEAD OF TYPHUS

AUSTIN, July 16.—Quartine may be declared against Starr county by the State Health Department unless county officials co-operate fully with the Department in its efforts to check what the Health Department claims is an epidemic of typhus fever. Although no statement was given out it was known that State Health Officer Duggan, who diagnosed the disease, may declare a quarantine if co-operation is not given. Starr county authorities claim the disease is typhoid, not typhus.

U. S. GLOBE FLIERS NOW IN ENGLAND

LONDON, July 16.—The United States Army 'round the world flyers reached London today.

Winging their way across the mist of the English Channel and across the mainland, the three American planes were sighted shortly before 2 p. m. over Croydon, a suburb of London, where they circled preparatory to landing.

Thousands of people who had been awaiting arrival of the aviators cheered lustily as the airplanes hove in view.

CROYDON, England, July 16.—Circling down to the level plains of Croydon, where an immense crowd held in check by cordons of police, welcomed them, America's world flyers landed their planes at the airdome here this afternoon, having flown from Paris in less than three hours.

The Stars and Stripes were flown at numerous points about the 150 acre drome, and many Americans were among the throngs which cheered Lieut. Smith and his companions.

Offiacils of the Air Minstry, including General Branckner, air commander, extended official welcome to the aviators.

A score of mechanics were waiting to groom the world flight machines, the first thought of the flyers after they had landed.

The crowds made a rush for the spot where the planes came to earth but were held back by a thin blue line of London "Bobbies" specially picked for the occasion.

The sleepy little neighboring village of Waddon was in state of excitement since dawn and the single track trolly connecting it with Croydon was kept busy bringing as many as it could hold to the airdrome.

After the first welcome here, the airmen were to go to London by automobile.

The Americans took off from Le Bourget on the outskirts of Paris at 11:06 a. m. and were escorted by five French planes as far as the Channel. There an air express plane carrying 14 passengers who had paid huge sums for the privilege, guided the world flyers to England.

MAY BE PREHISTORIC LOBSTER NEWBURG

NEWBURG, Ore., July 15.—Widespread speculation is centered here in the discovery of fossil remains of what is believed to be bones of some mammoth, prehistoric, carnivorous animal.

William Myers, electric company employee, was clearing out the "old swimmin' hole" in Chehalem River when he made the discovery. What appeared to be several leg and jaw bones were found lying on the bed of the stream beneath four feet of water.

Huge tusks, six feet in length and seven inches in diameter at the base, were found. The lower jaw bones weighed 25 pounds each. Each contained three large teeth in the molar region. The interior two were formed of three rows of flattened cusps, the posterior having five rows of very sharp cusps.

Further search is being made in hope of discovering more remains.

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By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

July 16, 1924.
6 to 7 p. m.
WDAR, 6, Conversation corner.
KYW, 6 to 6:30, Dinner concert.
WDAF, 6 to 7, Shcool of the Air
WDAR, 6:10, Concert orchestra.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30, Radio travelogue.
WDAR, 6:45, Green Hill Farms dance orchestra.
7 to 8 p. m.
WHR, 7 to 8, Address; music.
WMAQ, 7, University lecture.
WOO, 7, WOO orchestra.
WBZ, 7, Vocal numbers.
KYW, 7 to 7:53, Musical program with Russian soprano.
WOO, 7:10, Concert orchestra.
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBZ, 7:30, Piano music.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Melodists.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.
WWJ, 7:30, Schmeman's band.
8 to 9 p. m.
WLW, 8, Song recital
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Program
WOS, 8, Address
KSD, 8, Program
WOO, 8, Dance orchestra.
WDAR, 8, Dance orchestra.
KHJ, 8 to 8:30, Hickman's orchestra.
WOC, 8, Organ recital.
WMAQ, 8:15, La Ponsa College of Music.
WLW, 8:20, Virginia entertainers.
WOS, 8:20, Barn dance tunes.
WWJ, 8:30, Detroit News orchestra.
KFSG, 8:30 to 9:30, "Kozy Hour."
KHJ, 8:45 to 9:30, Children's program.
KYW, 8:45 to 11:30, Midnight revue
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Detective stories and concert.
9 to 10 p. m.
WLW, 9, Violinist.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WBZ, 9:30, Hotel Brunswick orchestra.
10 to 11 p. m.
KPO, 10 to 1 a. m., Versatile band.
KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald Blue Boys orchestra.
KHJ, 10 to 12, Lecture
WBZ, 10 Songs.
KGW, 10, Concert.
11 to 12
KFI, 11 to 12, Penwomen of America
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once. Fashion Embroideries, 994 Lima, Ohio 16A6

Rough Dry.

Local News

Mary Webb is in Groesbeck today.

Frank Bolton is a Groesbeck visitor today.

F. H. Martill of Waco is visiting in Mexia

Tom Schulz of Temple was in the city Tuesday

C. A. Harris from Bryan was in Mexia Tuesday.

B. M. Harrison of Childers, Texas is visiting in the city.

R. C. McBride was a business visitor from Waco Tuesday.

A. F. Cuny of Waco was in Mexia Tuesday on business.

M. P. Butler is visiting his family in Houston this week.

M. U. P. Melton is in Mexia this week mixing with old friends

I. Wilson of Temple was a business visitor in Mexia Tuesday.

Dr. T. I. Oates has returned from a professional trip to Dallas

M. Queen and L. R. Crain both of Groesbeck business visitors in the city.

Miss Jane Tyson of Cameron is in the city visiting Miss Glynn Mitchell

A. A. Meador of Lacyville, Texas, is here for a few days visiting his brother, Tom Meador

Miss Estelle Bauder is spending several days with her mother in Waxahachie

Mrs. George P. Campbell and children of Abilene, Texas, are visiting Mr. Roy Weston Beard.

Miss Mable Wood of Ranger is the charming visitor of her sister Miss Mary Wood of this city.

J. G. Willis of Tehuacana is in Nashville Tennessee this Summer. He is studying at Peabody College.

Warren W. Hunt has returned from points in South Texas where he has been spending much of the time in recent months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buckner and children, Billy and Paul, are taking a little vacation visiting friends in Western Texas.

Prayer meeting services will be held in all local churches tonight. The public is cordially urged to attend these weekly studies of God's Word

Mrs. W. B. Lyman and daughter, Miss Nell, from Roswell, New Mexico, and Mrs. Mathilda McCormick of Lampasas are visiting Mrs. J. K. Hughes.

David Murphy and family left Wednesday morning in their car for Davis Mountains where they will spend about two weeks fishing and camping.

Mrs. J. W. Prickett was reported in Tuesday's paper as being in the Baptist Sanitarium in Waco. This should have been the Baptist Sanitarium in Dallas.

M. L. McDonald and Aubrey A. Kindred of the postoffice force have returned from their vacation spent in the mountains of Arkansas, and they report a delightful time

Quite a number from here are in Groesbeck today to hear the political address of Former Governor Jim Ferguson, who is speaking in the interest of his wife's candidacy for Governor

The latest report from Mrs. Homer Tomlin who is recovering from an operation which she underwent in Dallas, is that she is getting along nicely. Mr Tomlin returned the latter part of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McGill and their daughter, Miss Fay, of Georgetown, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Newberry at 911 East Bowie. They will leave Mexia Thursday and motor to their home in Georgetown.

Hon. I. W. Keys returned several days ago from Kentucky, where he visited his former home, homefolks, relatives and friends. He was in Louisville part of the time and while there, like the average Kentuckian, to see the races. He also spent a while in the Mountainous regions of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd and son, Walter Kline, Jr., returned Tuesday from a brief visit with home folks at Terrell. They made the trip by auto. Mr. Boyd states the roads are in fair condition between Corsicana and Terrell, by way of Kaufman, by which route it is about 100 miles between the two points.

Nelson Forrest has just received a letter from his son, Machon Forrest, who, with Jim Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith, is on a trip to the far Northwest. They are making the long journey in a Ford and have had little trouble so far. They were in Butte, Montana, when the letter was written and still had their noses north west. They have been away about three weeks.

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Come and join us.
(Political Advertisement)

Local Marine Is To Visit Tropics

QUANTICO, Va., July 16.—The little Republic of Haiti in the West Indies will soon be visited by Russell Nowlin, formerly of Mexia, Texas, who left here recently with a detachment of U. S. Marines. He will probably remain in Haiti for a year or longer before returning to the United States.

Russell lived at the home of his father, Mr. Abb Nowlin, of Mexia, before he joined the Marine Corps at Dallas in May, 1923. He was stationed at Quantico for several weeks before leaving for Hampton Roads, Va., where he embarked on a naval vessel for Haiti.

Detachments o fU. S. Marines have been on duty in Haiti since 1915, when a force landed there to restore order during a revolution. Peaceful conditions now prevail, and most of the sea soldiers are stationed at Port au Prince, the capital. Athletic sports, moving pictures and entertainments break the monotony of the regular military routine.

Soap and Talcum Powder
Days Variety Store

TOO MANY CIGARETS

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 16.—The growing habit of cigaret smoking was "deplored" by the annual meeting of the 12th district W. C. T. U. held at Cleburne and school boards are requested by membmbers of the organization to use their influence to secure teachers not addicted to the habit.

NATIONAL

Thursday - Friday - Saturday

THOMAS MEIGHAN and VIRGINIA VALLI
—in—
"THE CONFIDENCE MAN"

CLOSING OUT SALE of SUMMER HATS

For the Remainder of this Week We Will Place on Sale Three Big Groups of Summer Millinery at These Prices.

YOU CAN'T BEAT THESE PRICES SO COME AND PICK OUT YOURSELF A NEW SUMMER HAT

One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $1.00
One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $1.45
One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $3.00

SALE OF SUMMER PIECE GOODS

—A beautiful lot of Tissue Ginghams in plaids, checks and stripes, reduced from 75c per yard and placed on sale this week at the yard 49c
—Several dozen pieces of 75c Voile in the wanted designs and colors. Special for the week at the yard 49c
—Another lot of pretty Voile in desired patterns, our regular 50c grades, special for this week at the yard 25c
—Closing out our stock of $1.00 Dotted Swiss—all patterns at the yard 49c
All of the above materials you will find out on display.

HICKMAN'S

"LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOP"

Amusements

NATIONAL
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
THOMAS MEIGHAN in
"THE CONFIDENCE MAN"

PALACE
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
"IN THE PALACE OF THE KING"
with Blanche Sweet and Herbert Bosworth

OPERA HOUSE
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
"HOOK AND LADDER"
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LEAGUE ASSOCIATIONS HEAR JAPAN AND HAITI PROTEST U. S. POLICIES

By HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LYONS, France (By Mail to United Press.)—A Japanese move to have the League of Nations tell the United States the League stood for racial equality was made here recently.

When the International Union of League of Nations Associations met in annual congress, the Japanese delegation introduced a resolution providing that, without involving the question of immigration, all League members should apply the same requirements for admission and departure of commercial, mercantile and professional groups from other member countries, and also grant foreigners, regardless of race, equality with nationals in the establishment of business and professions.

Haiti Complains.

The United States also came in for an international grueling about our military occupation by armed force of the republic of San Domingo and Haiti.

The placing of this question on the agenda of the International Union of League of Nations Associations followed a long effort on the part of Haiti and some of the smaller central American republics to get before an international organization Uncle Sam's alleged strong arm tactics in dealing with them.

Following an effort last year to get the question before the League of Nations, the Latin Block of the League assembly had a private meeting at Geneva, where the question was discussed. In order not to stir up trouble with the League and engender animosity on the part of the United States the question was tactfully sidetracked and kept under cover.

Entirely undaunted by this failure, however, the Haitian delegation then carried the question before the International Union of League of Nations Associations and it was written down on the agenda for the meeting.

The entire situation created by the United States military occupation of San Dimingo was presented by Louis Dante Bellegrade, the Haitian minister to Paris, who, during the past assemblies of the League of Nations, has created an international reputation for himself as a silver tongued orator in French.

It was Monsieur Bellegrade who brought before the League assembly the question of South Africa's suppression by air bombing and other modern war methods of a native revolt in which a large number of negroes, including women and children, were killed.

Monsieur Bellegrade, who is himself colored, has won a marked position in League of Nations circles for his defense of the colored race.

The confreence was composed of delegates from the League of Nations socities in nearly all of the leading countries of the world, including several, such as Russia and Germany, which are not members of the League.

As the delegates were in no way official representatives of their governments and therefore in no way restricted in their utterances by the policy or instructions of their governments, they were free to go into questions which the League, for political reasons, might prefer to dodge.

As a consequence, it is expected that the question of Uncle Sam's occupation of San Domingo will be treated with ungloved hands.

Reparations Discussed

The conference tackled the problem of reparations which the League has side-stepped, to date, but on the question of disarmament used as a basis of its discussion the League's proposed international treaty of mutual guarantee as a basis of disarmament.

Another important question to come before the conference was a proposition by Russia for the creation of an international council of arbitration and mediation.

The conference considered several new applications for membership, including the League of Nations Associations of Albania, Australia, Canada, Ireland, Luxembourg and the Jewish organization in Czecho-Slovakia.

SECRET TESTS WITH PHOSPHOROUS BOMBS.

This picture, made months ago, has been kept as a closely guarded secret by the U. S. Army Air Service, and has just been released for publication. When the army airmen bombed old ships that were scrapped under the disarmament treaty they used a new and deadly form of bomb—a 1,000 pound missile loaded with phosphorous, with its devastating effects. Nothing could be more illuminating as a text on the value of the airplane during war than this picture, showing a direct hit on the fire control platform of the old battleship. No one could have lived aboard the vessel.

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Prohibition Records of Candidates

The issue of The Home and State, bearing the date of July, discusses the records of candidates for national offices as to prohibition. Each Congressional district in Texas is taken up and the statement is made that Hon. Harry M. Wurzback, Republican, of San Antonio, is the only Congressman from Texas who can be relied upon by the liquor forces. Practically all the others support dry legislation.

They take the honorable position that national prohibition is in the Constitution. They thus feel honor bound to support any reasonable bill that aims to secure better enforcement of the Eighteenth amendment.

Concerning Hon. Luther Johnson, Congressman from this district, of Corsicana, who is here this week, the Home and State says:

"He is a splendid Presbyterian layman, life long prohibitionist and splendid man."

In the candidates for office in Limestone County, it would be interesting to know just how each man stands on the subject. They are invited and urged to express their views through the press on this subject.

Of more than usual interest would statements along this line be from candidates for County and District Attorneys and from County and District Judges as well as from the candidates for the legislature, both house and senate.

It's time to speak out now.

Health Campaign Needed

President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge have passed through the shadows recently, when they lost their fine sixteen year old son who bore his father's name. They have the sympathy of the best people in the world, the people who make America what it is and citizens who are always touched with sympathy when one of the little ones of the country is claimed by the cold hand of death.

The death of Calvin Coolidge, Jr., will no doubt cause parents everywhere to take greater precaution in safeguarding the health of their children. They will pay more heed to the "little things of life" which often break down health, undermine character, dwarf human souls and finally end in death. He was a noble lad, bubbling over with joy as A White House Boy and as a son of the President of these United States. Proud of his father, he was, even when writhing in pain.

The original source of this pain was in a little bruise he received on his foot while playing tennis. Like many other lads, he was not wearing stockings and had the loose sandal rubbing up and down on his bare feet. A pin head size scratch soon became a mountain. He used the drop of iodine which should always be used on sore spots and bruises or abrasions immediately but the poisonous germs which are so prevalent on the ground in the grass and in the great out of doors found that sore place and the iodine was unable to counteract their influence. The germ that infected his foot is one which medical science has not yet learned to combat. However, iodine is known as the best medicine to apply on cuts, bruises or sores and should always be applied.

America must become aroused and do her duty to child health. The citizens of this country should be gravely concerned over the fact that this nation with all its wealth and scientific knowledge and spirit of benevolence, stands sixth among the countries of the world in organized efforts to save the health of childhood, and seventeenth in provisions made for the preservation of the lives of mothers of children.

Much of the damage is to be traced to those diseases of children to which, in the popular belief, they are natural heirs and which they must have sooner or later.

A campaign of enlightenment is needed in every community to destroy such false notions and to teach the people as a whole how to care for child life and make sturdier the foundations of this homeland.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx

PETTING PARTY PRODUCTS

A news item tells of a young girl, not yet 18 years of age, taking her own life by drinking poison. Away from the home where a few months ago she was happy and the pride of loving parents, among strangers who seemed indifferent as to her condition, and although in the midst of a fast life, no doubt blinded by the bright lights of wild revelries, the future for her was dark and gloomy and she became despondent and chose the shortest and quickest route into that mysterious world from which no traveler has ever returned.

What a tragic ending of a life that might have been devoted to home building and usefulness. The beginning of this tragedy was no doubt the supposed romance of joy riding and roadside petting parties, and was entered into with no thought of wrong and with never a dream of the possible ending in a suicide's grave.

These incidents are not infrequent, but we do not seem to notice them until the sorrow of it enters the home of some near neighbor or friend. Then it is that the awfulness of such a condition shocks us, and we ought to begin to wake up and do something to either put a stop to it or at least slow it down.

What is the cause of it all?

Too much familiarity between the sexes—young boys and girls crowded into automobiles two and three deep, burning the wind in a mad rush through streets and over country roads to some secluded spot where the real petting begins, and too often ends in a wrecked life.

What is the remedy:

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You say it cannot be done. Oh, yes, it can if parents will exercise the proper care and control over their boys and girls, as some do, it can be remedied.

Children are just children, and as a rule will mind their parents when they come to realize that the parents know best. It is not often that children wilfully disobey their parents and go astray. It is too often the result of lack of interest on the part of mothers and fathers, who seem to be themselves bent on having a good time and who seem to care little or nothing about the welfare or whereabouts of their sons and daughters, but let them run wild day and night in any sort of company only to realize after it is too late that the proper care might have saved their loved ones from lives of shame and the home from disgrace and sorrow.

It is time to put on the brakes and stop the mad rush through life that is fraught with so much danger, disaster, and disgrace. Parents, wake up to your duties and save the youth of the land.

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Death Lurks in Sheep Skin Powder Puffs

HOUSTON, Texas, July 16.—Sheepskin powder puffs are a menace if used before being sterilized, according to Dr. A. J. Phillips, city veteranian.

Several deaths in Texas have been due to anthrax, a prevalent disease of sheep and cattle, presumably transmitted by powder puffs made of the wool or skins of infected sheep.

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DALLAS, Texas, July 16.—Seventeen counties in Texas have iron ore in commercial grades and quantities, and the state should begin soon to exploit its natural resources by the creation of a great industrial area, Dr. Henry Payne, consulting engineer of the American Mining Congress declared in an address here.

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In his address Payne declared that quicksilver deposits cover 600 square miles in Brewester county, that the ores of tin have been found in Mason county, and that "copper in north Texas, zinc in west Texas, and lead in El Paso, Brewster and Burnett counties await the prospectors pick."

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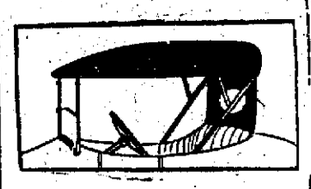
Concerning the Democratic Convention, he writes: "I have met quite a few New Yorkers and find all of the real substantial men against Al Smith" and were pleased with him that Smith was not nominated.



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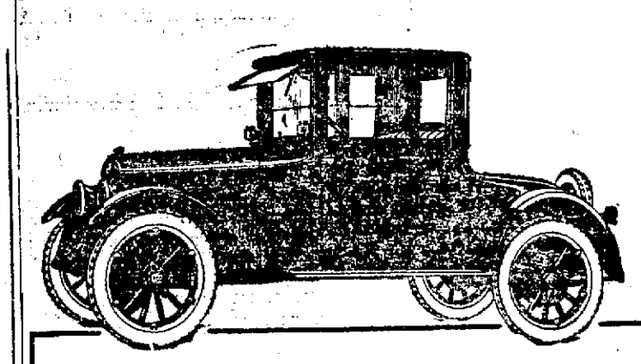

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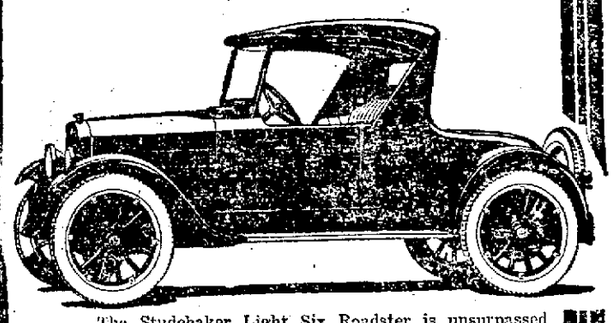

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OLYMPIC FAMILY IS DISORGANIZED AS EVER TODAY

By HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, July 15.—The big Olympic family party was as busy and as disorganized today as a yard full of school children.

With the husky Yale crew that is America's for Olympic purposes meeting its first test on the Seine, boxing contests in which Americans are favorites starting at the Celodrome d'Hiver; Americans scoring sweeping victories at tennis almost before nets were tight, and scullers and mermaids and modern pentathlon entrants striving to press their starry shields home ahead of contestants from some forty ocher nations, a "spectator" at the Olympic games today needed as many eyes as a Colorado potato.

Victories here and defeats there are coming so rapidly these days it is almost impossible to follow them.

The American doubles pair, Vincent Richards and Francis T. Hunter, won at tennis today from Williams and Bailey, Australia, in straight sets 6-1, 6-2 and 6-2. The dashing Senorita Alvarez, of Spain, who yesterday put our little Brooklyn girl, Lillian Schraman out of the women's singles, advanced another step toward a meeting with Helen Wills by beating Miss Tolley, of India, 6-0 and 6-3.

It has been decided to score first place in tennis as 10, with 5 for the losers in the finals, while the two losers in the semi-finals shall meet, the winner scoring 4 and the loser 3.

Manuel Alonzo, the Spanish star, who is a ranking player in the United States, defeated Robson, Argentine, 7-9, 6-4, 6-0, 6-4.

In the rowing, Yale was pitted against crews of Holland and Canada, neither of which was expected to produce any dangerous opposition.

W. E. Garrett Gilmore of Philadelphia is favorite in the single sculls as a result of his victory over the English champion, Jack Beresford, Jr. winner of the diamond sculls.

American girl swimmers, Misses Wainwright, Ederle and Norelus have qualified for the final in the 400-meter free style event. Our men divers also are placed. In the 1,500 meter swim for men, however, Adam Smith of Erie and Richard Howell, of Northwestern University failed to qualify.

May Be La Follette's Running Mate.

SEN. H. SHIPSTEAD

United States Senator Henrick Shipstead, of Minnesota, elected on the Farmer-Labor ticket, is prominently mentioned as the running mate for U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette, independent candidate for the Presidency.

LETTERS From the People

TO THE OBSERVER

We certainly want to thank the observer for the nice compliment that was passed on our party of July 11th.

We are glad that some can see that the boys and girls of today are not all bad, as some people seem to believe. We must not forget that every thing changes with time, if dancing Josie and Shooting the Buffalo were the greatest amusements of today, that is what the young people would do, but time has changed the sports and amusements just as it has styles and everything else.

That is where some people get it that the world is going down hill.

We want to thank the Observer again and the next time; you are all invited to come in and enjoy yourselves if you wish.

—Just One of the Gang.

Rough Dry

NEW PAPER AT LUBBOCK

ABILENE, Texas, July 16.—The Western Weekly has been added to the Lubbock Plains Journal, owners of the magazine which circulates thruout West Texas have announced. Officers of the company are Curtis Keen, Lubbock, president; Bernard Hanks, Abilene, vice president; Lindsey Nunn, Amarillo, treasurer and Houston Harte, San Angelo, secretary.

FORD USED AS BARREL

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—H. H. Sunday lacked the preverbial barrel when someone stole his trousers while he cooled off in a swimming hole on the city's outskirts. Sunday clambered into his Ford in his B V Ds and motored to police headquarters with his shirt draped across his lap.

Rough Dry.

BOOZE AND GASOLINE

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, July 16.—C. E. Booze told Judge Dycus he did not "have enough will power" to keep from stepping on the accelerator of his car. "Too bad," said the judge. "I've got enough will power to fine you $10 for speeding."

LONG MAIL ROUTE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—In the 23 years that he has been a rural mail carrier, C. A. Blackwood has traveled 260,000 miles, or ten times around the world. All this mileage has been made on his route.

NAME REDUCED TO O.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—The shortest name in the new city directory here is that of Mr. O. Mr. O is a brick mason and his full name is Cresenica de la O.

NOTICE

Will the parents whose child brought home a new big red rubber tired tricycle from Hughes Park, return to Mrs. J. W. Lanning 212 South Canton street or phone 641-W. 15-3t

NOTICE.

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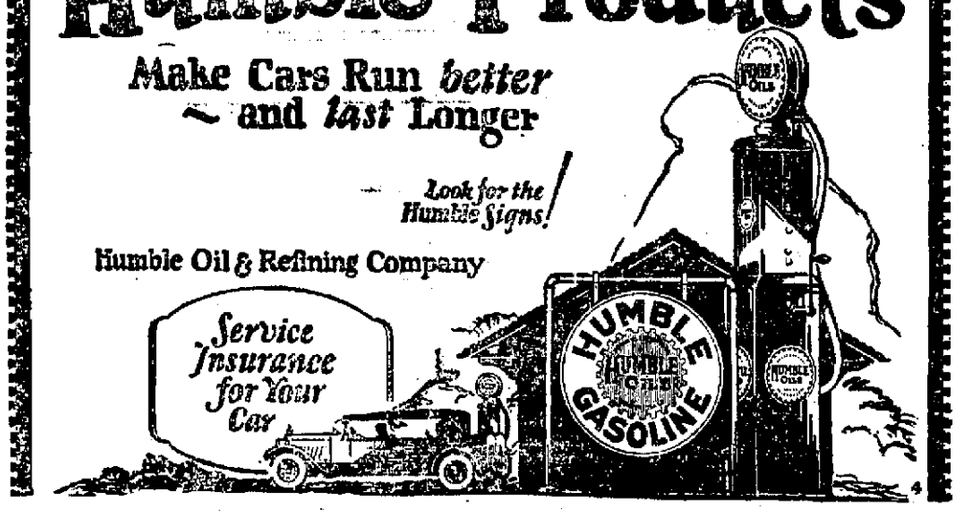

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TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.

Corsicana 8, Mexia 1.
Marlin 7, Austin 0.
Waco 4, Temple 1.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	21	14	7	.667
Corsicana	23	14	9	.609
Marlin	21	13	9	.591
Mexia	22	10	12	.455
Austin	22	10	12	.455
Temple	22	4	18	.182

Where They Play Today.

Austin at Mexia.
Temple at Marlin.
Corsicana at Waco.

CORSICANA 8, MEXIA 1.

CORSICANA, Texas, July 16.—Corsicana defeated Mexia, 8 to 1, Tuesday making it three out of four games of the series. Barrett hit his eighteenth home run of the season.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	4	2	2	4	0	1
Grubb 3 b	5	1	1	0	3	1
Thornton 1 b	4	1	2	11	1	0
Brown c f	3	1	2	3	0	0
Barrett r f	3	1	2	0	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Sain s s	4	1	2	4	4	0
Vann c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Hollis p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Total	33	8	14	27	13	2
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	3	0	0	1	4	0
Fowlkes c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Butler l f	4	0	1	3	0	0
Seely r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Naylor 1 b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Bryan c f	4	0	1	2	1	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	0	3	7	0
Peel p	2	1	1	0	2	1
Jefferies p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	32	1	5	24	16	1

Mexia .....011 000 000—1
Corsicana .....000 230 12*—8

Home run—Barrett. Two-base hits—Barrett, Etheridge. Struck out—By Hollis 3. Bases on balls—Off Peel 2, Hollis 1. Losing pitcher—Peel.

WACO 4, TEMPLE 1.

TEMPLE, Texas, July 16.—The Indians made a clean sweep of the series by winning Tuesday, 4 to 1. The Surgeons played a listless game in the field. Lewis and Provence of the visitors played sensational ball, robbing the Surgeons of a number of hits when runners were in scoring position.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	2	2	2	0	0
Strickland 3 b	4	2	1	1	2	0
Lewis s s	5	0	2	2	5	0
Caffey r f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Provence c f	4	0	1	3	1	0
Shires 1 b	4	0	1	13	0	1
Humphreys c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Williams 2 b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Green p	4	0	0	1	3	0
Total	34	4	8	27	12	1
Temple—						
McElwee r f	3	0	0	3	0	1
Bush s s	4	1	2	1	4	1
Lind 1 b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Storey l f	3	0	1	2	0	0
Brown c f	4	0	1	4	0	0
Windham 2 b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Lance 3 b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Hudspeth c	4	0	0	6	0	1
Nugent p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	1	6	27	11	3

Waco .....200 000 200—4
Temple .....001 000 000—1

Two-base hits—Bush, Strickland. Sacrifice hit—Caffey. Stolen bases—McElwee, Kelly Lewis. Double plays—Windham to Bush to Lind; Provence to Lewis. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 5, Green 3. Umpire—Robbins.

SOME FLYER

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—All records for speed between Pascagoula, Miss., and San Antonio have been smashed by a carrier pigeon owned by V. L. Gillett. The bird made the 605 miles in 19 hours, 50 minutes, and 10 seconds in a race held by the Lone Star Pigeon Club.

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MARLIN 7, AUSTIN 0.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—Biggers was right Tuesday, blanking the Rangers, 7-0. The Bathers gave Biggers great support.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon 2 b	4	0	0	5	2	1
Clements 3 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Matlock s s	3	0	1	0	3	0
Anheier 1 b	3	0	0	10	2	0
Bedford c f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Light r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Courtney l f	3	0	1	0	1	1
Banner c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Mueller p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Humphreys p	2	0	0	1	4	0
McIver	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totail	28	0	3	27	15	2
Marlin—						
Craige c f	3	1	0	3	0	0
White 3 b	4	1	2	1	4	0
Greer l f	5	0	1	2	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Munson r f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Gressett 1 b	4	0	0	14	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	1	1	1	3	0
Covington c	3	1	0	3	1	0
Biggers p	4	2	2	0	3	0
Total	34	7	8	27	14	0

McIver hit for Humphreys in 9th

Marlin .....040 100 002—7
Austin .....000 000 000—0

Two-base hit—Courtney. Double play—Rawlings to Gressett. Struck out—By Humphreys 7, Biggers 3. Bases on balls—Off Mueller 4. Losing pitcher—Mueller.

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Ordinance of the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof on the alley in Block 23 from Commerce Street to Palestine Street; the alley in Block 23 from Sherman Street to North and South alley; the alley in Block 24 from Commerce St. to Main St.; the alley in Block 24 from Sherman Street to North and South alley; the alley in block 55 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street; the alley in Block 56 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street, for a part of the cost of improving said alleys, and fixing a time for a hearing of the owners or agents of said owners of said property or of any persons interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, and directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing and examining and approving the plans and specifications and statement or report of the city engineer, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has heretofore by resolution passed and approved on the 2nd day of July, 1924, ordered the improvement of the alley in Block 23 from Commerce Street to Palestine Street; the alley in Block 23 from Sherman street to north and south alley; the alley in Block 24 from Commerce Street to Main Street; the alley in Block 24 from Sherman Street to north and south alley; the alley in Block 55 from Sherman St. to McKinney St.; the alley in Block 56 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street, in the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said alleys have been duly prepared and approved as required by the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, as required by said Statutes, Charter and Ordinances, after advertisement for bids for said work improvement had been made, said work of improvement was let to Uvalde Paving Company to improve with one course reinforced concrete pavement, as provided by said plans and specifications; and,

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the City of Mexia and Uvalde Paving Company on the 2nd day of July, 1924, for the construction of said improvement:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA: That the plans and specifications and report or statement of the City Engineer filed with the City Commission, describing the abutting property and giving the names of property owners, and number of front feet and the cost of improvement chargeable against each abutting property and its owner, having been duly examined, is hereby approved. That the City Commission does hereby determine to assess three-fourths of the cost of all improvements, against the owners of the property abutting thereon, and against their property, in accordance with the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the said assessment shall be made after the notice to such property owners and the hearing herein mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against such property owners on said alleys, and their property, shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule in the proportion that the frontage of the property of each owner on each particular alley or portion thereof named to be improved bears to the frontage of the whole property to be improved on that particular alley; provided, that after such hearing, if such plan of apportionment be found to be not just and equitable in particular instances the City Commission shall so apportion all said cost as to produce a substantial equality between all such property owners abutting on the particular alley or portion thereof to be improved, having in view the enhanced value of that property and the benefits derived from such improvement, and the burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and that in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced value of such property by reason of such improvement. That the proportionate cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties shall become due and payable in three equal installments, one third thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the improvement on said alley, one third one year after said date, and one third two years after said date, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date of completion and acceptance of the improvement on the particular alley or portion thereof named to be improved. That the total proportionate part of the cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their respective properties and the names of the owners of property abutting upon said alleys aforesaid, properties to be improved, and the description of that property and the several amounts proposed to be assessed against them respectively for paving and for side walks, and the grand total thereof, is as follows:

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A. C. Campbell Est.	5	56	25.	88.13
E. Watson	6	56	25.	88.13
Mrs. M. B. Kemp	7-8	56	50.	176.26
City of Mexia	9-10	56	50.	176.26
Welch Motor Co.	11-12	56	50.8	179.03
G. M. Tidwell	13	56	25.5	89.90
Frank Knoff, Jr.	14	56	24.5	86 37
R. E. Hickman	15	56	25.	88.13
J. E. Phillips	16	56	25.	88.13
Cheeves Bros.	17-18	56	50.	176.26
Robertson & Bass	19	56	25.	88.13
Mrs. M. B. Kemp	20	56	25.	88.13
Paul Lobit	1	55	25.	88.13
Fred Karner	2	55	25.	88.13
W. M. Corley Est.	3	55	25.	88.13
Jno. R. Corley	4	55	25.	88.13
W. M. Corley Est.	5	55	25.	88.13
Dr. T. F. Oates	6	55	25.	88.13
Pat B. Jones	7	55	25.	88.13
Mrs. H.L.Houx & hus.	N.P.Houx 8'	55	25.	88.13
Fred Steinmetz	9	55	25.	88.13
Mexia Battery & Tire Co.	10	55	25.	88.13
Mexia B & T. Co.	11-12-13-14-15	55	125.	440.65
W. J. Wright	16	55	25.	88.13
Julius Desenberg	S¼17-18-19-20	55	100.	525.50
Magnolia Petroleum Co.	1-2	24	70.	176.26
Peden Iron & Steel Co.	S22' of 3	24	22.	77.55
Oil Well Supply Co.	N3' of 3&4	24	28.	98.70
Nat'l Supply Co.	5 & S10' of 6	24	35.	123.38
J. K. Hughes Oil Co.	E'17-8-9-10	24	115.	405.37
H. C. Roller	11	24	143.75	506.72
T. A. White	12-13	24	57.5	202.69
Mrs. Mattie J. Smith	14	24	28.75	101.34
Farmers State Bk	N½15-16-17-18	24	143.75	506.72
Jos. Nussbaum Co.	S½15-16-17-18	24	86 25	304.03
Prendergast Smith Nat'l Bk	1-2-3-4-5	23	125.	440.65
W. D. Pittman	6-7	23	50.	176.26
R. L. Wheelock	8-9	23	50.	176.26
J. L. Thompson	Pt.10	23	25.	88.13
Citizens Opera House	N'½11-12-13-14	23	57.5	202.69
Mrs. Mary C. Alexander & hus.				
C. P. Alexander	N½ofS½11-12-13-14	23	28.75	101.34
Community P &L.Co.	S½11-12-13-14	23	143.75	506.72
City Nat'l Bank	15	23	28.75	101.34
A. T. Schulz	16	23	28.75	101.34
Karner & Phillips	17	23	28.75	101.34
N. Y. Long Est.	18	23	143.75	506.72
			2420 8	$8,533.56

SUMMARY OF ALLEY PAVING

City's Total Paving	$2,844.52
Property Owners' Part Paving	8,533.56
Total	$11,378.08

That a hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, and any person or persons interested in said improvements, before the City Commission of the City of Mexia, as provided by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, which said hearing shall be had on the 29th day of July, 1924, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. in the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and which said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time, as may be necessary to give all said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, a full and fair hearing, and said owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, shall have the right to appear and be heard in any manner concerning the said improvements or said assessment, or the benefits thereof to their said property, or any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest said assessment, and at such hearing a full and fair opportunity shall be extended to said property owners owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all interested persons, to be heard with respect to such improvements.

That after the conclusion of the hearing above mentioned such sum or sums as may be determined by the City Commission to be payable by said property owners shall be assessed against them respectively, and against their respective properties, by ordinance or ordinances, in the manner prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the City Secretary of the City of Mexia is hereby directed to give notice to said property owners, their agents or attorneys, of said hearing, as prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, by publishing said notice three times in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Mexia, the first of said publications to be made at least ten days before the date set for said hearing. Said City Secretary shall also mail a copy of said notice by registered letter to each of said property owners, if known, or their agents or attorneys, if known, said letters to be deposited in the post office in the City of Mexia at least ten days before the date set for hearing. However, said notice by registered letter shall be cumulative only, and notice by publication shall be full, due and proper notice of said hearing.

That whereas, the fact that said portions of said alleys are in such urgent need of repair creates an emergency and imperative public necessity for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and property which requires that the rule requiring three several readings be suspended, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved, this 2 day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan, City Secretary. 7(15-16-17)

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 12 day of August 1924, for the purpose of electing two persons to serve as members of the City Commission up to the first Tuesday in April, 1926, as provided by the Charter of the City of Mexia; designating the place at which said election is to be held and appointing presiding officers thereof, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of July, 1924, there was submitted to the qualified voters of the said City of Mexia at an election, the Charter that was prepared and submitted by the Charter Commission which was elected on the 21st day of March, 1924, and at such election a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election voted in favor of the adoption of the Charter so submitted and,

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 7th day of July, 1924, and said results of said election duly certified and recorded by the presiding election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of July, 1924, the City Commission considered the returns and canvassed the same, and found that there was cast at said election 479 votes for the adoption of the Charter and 341 votes against the adoption of the Charter; and the Commission thereupon by resolution duly entered declared that the Charter so submitted was adopted by majority vote of the qualified voters of said City voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the Charter adopted provided that there should be elected two additional members of the City Commission to hold office until the first Tuesday in April, 1926, or until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA:

Section 1: That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 12th day of August, 1924, for the purpose of electing two additional members of the City Commission.

Section 2: That the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: The polling place shall be at the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and T. B. Chatham is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3: That an election shall be held under the provisions of Section 4, Article XVII of the Charter of the City of Mexia, Texas.

Section 4: All persons desiring to become candidates for members of the City Commission shall file their names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 8th day of August, 1924, at 5 o'clock p. m. and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot as candidates to be voted upon at said election.

Section 5: A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election and ten (10) days notice of the time and place of holding said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the place designated for holding said election, at least ten (10) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of said notice not less than ten (10) full days from day of the election.

Section 6: The fact that the Charter of the City of Mexia provides that there shall be five (5) members of the City Commission and that there are now only three creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this the 14th day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan, City Secretary

AN ORDINANCE

Be It Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas:

Article 1: It shall be unlawful for any dog, either male or female, to run at large within the limits of the City of Mexia, Texas, unless wearing a license tag as hereinabove provided. Any dog found within the limits of the City of Mexia, unless confined in an enclosure, or is wearing a license tag as hereinafter provided whether accompanied by owner or alone, shall be killed without further notice to the owner.

Article 2: On and after the adoption of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for the City of Mexia, Texas, to issue a dog license tag to any owner or keeper of a dog within the limits of said City unless the application for said license is accompanied by a certificate of vaccination against rabies, signed by a recognized veterinarian, or some one else so authorized, setting forth that the dog for which the license is issued has been vaccinated against rabies within twelve months prior to the time of making the application.

Article 3: A license issued by said city under conditions set forth in Article Two (2) of this ordinance and properly attached to a collar and worn continuously by the dog for which it was issued will remove all restrictions regarding confinement as set forth in Section One (1) of this ordinance.

Article 4: After the passage and publication of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the Chief of Police and of each Policeman of said City to kill every dog which is not wearing a license tag unless said dog is confined in an enclosure.

Article 5: All Ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Article 6: The fact that there is no ordinance regulating the licensing and vaccination of dogs creates an imperative public necessity that the rules requiring ordinances to be read on more than one day be and the same is hereby suspended and that this ordinance take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication, and it is so ordained.

Passed and approved as an emergency measure this the 12th day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
Attest:
R. D. Morgan,
City Secretary. (Jul12-10t)

CANDIDATES'
Announcements
1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action or the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)
For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
ROY H. STOKES, (re-election, second term.)
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
M. P. WILLIS

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North bound—
345 From cut-off ..... 1:47 p. m.
15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3.44 p m
31 Dallas Ft. Worth .....12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.
South bound—
346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio ...11:45 a m.
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San nAtonio ...12.21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio .. 1:37 a. m.
36 Houston San Antonio ..12:16 a m.
T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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Here's How It Happened

The Inside Story of the National Democratic Convention.

By A. GARLAND ADAIR
Managing Editor of The Mexia Daily News

NUMBER FIVE.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

When the platform had been read, Chairman Walsh recognized former Secretary of War, Newton D. Baker, who arose to offer a minority report on the League of Nations. He read a plank of his own, which advocated the immediate entrance of this country in the League as now existing, without prior referendum as specified in the majority report. The minority plank denounced the Republican administration in this regard, saying that it had no foreign policy.

Arrangements were then made whereby the leader of the Majority report Homer S. Cummings was to divide time with Mr. Baker, author of the minority report.

Several speakers, agreeable to these gentlemen, were given time out of the debate period.

When Mr. Baker moved to the front to deliver his address, he was greeted with a flurry of applause. He spoke with fervor, asking the audience to back him up for complete adherence on the part of the country to the League.

"If you ever had it in your heart to give me your support, give it to me now; I need it," he cried out, and the thousands in the audience responded with a great volley of applause.

He declared that the report turned in by the Resolutions Committee with regard to the League was as fantastic a departure from Constitutional practice as he had ever heard of.

"The world will be a wreck unless war is done away with, and the natural avenue toward the elimination of war is through the League of Nations," he said.

The former secretary got a rise out of the audience every time he made a telling point. He said that there was nothing in the proposal embodied in his report to justify the suggestion that it might contemplate that this country surrender safeguards and enter the League unconditionally. There was a provision in it for reservations which the President and the United States might deem advisable. He ridiculed the iden of a referendum, declaring that under the wording of the majority report and the plan proposed making this test of public opinion on the question too much delay would result.

"Ah, my fellow men and women," he exclaimed in heartsearching tones, "I am not talking to fellow Democrats, I am talking to lovers of mankind." This emotional appeal brought the mighty crowd to its feet again. "I have heard so much about expediency during the days since I have been at this convention that it has made me sick."

The majority report, he went on, was a subterfuge. It proposes to substitute in the Democratic party the leadership of Henry Cabot Lodge for that of Woodrow Wilson.

The Ohio delegation got up at this point and cheered and cheeres and applause came from all parts of the galleries, from whence cries of "No." "No" could be heard.

When the former Secretary said that his allotment of time had been exhausted, the audience roared for him to go on, and he did, declaring that the majority plank was impossible, as contrary to the Constitution, which nowhere provided for a referendum of that sort.

He declared that there was no provision under which a referendum under Federal auspices could be held. Elections he pointed out were State functions. All the Federal government could do would be to call upon the government of the 48 states to hold such referendum elections. Some of the states have only biennial sessions of their Legislatures, so there would appear to be every opportunity for a substantial amount of "fullest consideration" he added, amidst laughter, citing some of the language in the plank he opposed." And some of the states might not even respond to the summons of the Federal government, for there is no power to compel such obedience.

Mr. Baker said that adoption of the majority plank by the convention would justify and mean headlines in the morning papers "Democratic Convention Repudiates Woodrow Wilson."

Throughout the address, the women of the Convention appeared to be for him as one, and banners were lifted by ladies in the Texas delegation as well as by ladies elsewhere, on which were written "For The League of Nations."

For several minutes after the fiery eloquence of Woodrow Wilson's friend and spokesman had ended the assemblage remained under the spell of his impassioned appeal that the Democratic party take up the work of the departed leader and do its share toward putting an end to war.

To a man the delegates arose and cheered. Many standards were raised in salute to the former Secretary of War under Wilson's administration who had spoken so eloquently and masterfully for world peace. It was very clear that the name of Woodrow Wilson and in his principles, ideals and policies there was magic to stir the convention and lift it out of itself.

The band was playing but was scarcely audible amid the cheers. With a crash of brass, it struck up, "Onward Christian Soldiers." Some took up the words of the grand old song and began to sing. The cheering did not cease until Newton D. Baker came forward again and bowed to the galleries and convention, which renewed his cheering for him. It was a demonstration to a great patriot and a big heart that had been stirred to battle, even alone if necessary for ideals that will never die.

(Editor's note. In Thursday's issue, The News will present the arguments in favor of the Majority plank and that will be followed by graphic and full accounts of the fight for and against the religious plank, involving the Ku Klux Klan.)

PRIMARY VOTERS

Not more than ten or fewer than three days before the first primary election, a voter expecting to be absent on the day of the election may cast an absent ballot with the County Clerk of the County of his or her residence.

Those desiring to avail themselves of the above law will be properly taken care of by my deputy, Mr. Allen C. Gillespie, at the Prendergast-Smith National Bank, Mexia, Texas.

Youss very truly,
J. L. DAY, County Clerk,
Limestone County.
(16-17-18 20)

EPWORTH LEAGUE ENJOYS PICNIC

The members of the Epworth League of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed a picnic at the Reunion grounds Tuesday night. A chicken lunch, with ice cream constituced the refreshments, and the affair was enjoyed by about twenty five members of the League. After the lunch the party went sight seeing over the grounds for an hour before returning to the city by moonlight.

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Boni de Castellane Gets Annulment.

DUCHESS DE TALLEYRAND
COUNT DE CASTELLANE

After pleading for years, Count Boni de Castellane has finally received from the Pope an annulment of his religious marriage to the former Anna Gould, now the Duchess de Talleyrand.

Ladies Felt Shoes
Days Variety Store

Over One Million Fords Retailed Past Six Months

Sales reports from the 34 American branches of the Ford Motor Company show that over a million Ford cars and trucks were sold at retail during the first six months of 1924. The actual figure is 1,036,973, which exceeds the total retail sales for the same period in 1923 by 133,095—an average gain of 22,182 sales per month.

A comparison between Ford sales in 1924 and 1923 not only indicates a remarkable increase in the country's buying power, but also shows that this growth continues month by month. In every instance the monthly sales in 1924 have shown a substantial increase over the corresponding month in 1923. In June they reached 170,747 which was approximately 10,000 ahead of June sales in the preceding year.

These figures are for retail sales in the United States alone and do not take into consideration the sales made by foreign Ford branches and associated companies, the majority of which assemble cars from American made parts.

Perhaps the most encouraging sign of the times lies in the fact that these sales have been spread very evenly throughout the country and indicate a general prosperity that is not confined to any particular section.

A 'BROKEN OUT' FACE HOLDS YOU BACK

Many men and women of middle age feel that they have never had a chance to make anything out of themselves. But the main reason for it usually is that they let such things as pimples, rash, "breaking out", eczema, tetter, etc, on their face, neck, hands or arms, make them feel that they are not wanted around and they keep to themselves too much.

You can get just as much out of life as anyone. All you need is confidence in yourself, which you get naturally when you rid yourself of those skin troubles, if you just use Black and White Ointment and Soap. They are economically priced in generous packages. All dealers have them both. The 50c size of the Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.—(Adv.)

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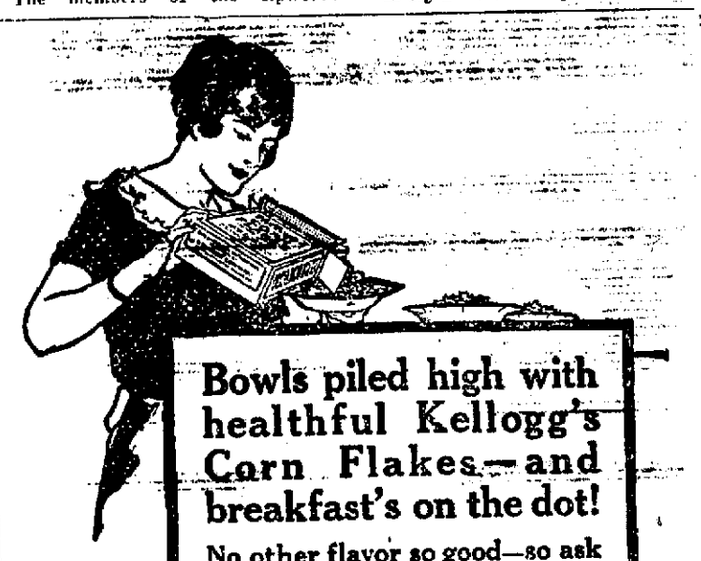

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Driver	Time	Miles per hour
Joe Boyer—L. L. Corum	5:05:23:51	98.24
Earl Cooper	5:06:47:18	97.69
Jimmy Murphy	5:08:25:39	97.27
Harry Hartz	5:10:44:28	96.55
Bennett Hill	5:11:07:00	96.46

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Firestone for years has been first to develop tires and rims complete which would meet the heavy trucking loads, great strains and demand for traction. By originating and carrying forward the Ship by Truck movement, and establishing Ship by Truck bureaus in all large cities, Firestone helped to speed up highway transportation and reduce costs.

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Attacking the unsound and uneconomic character of the British Rubber Restriction Act limiting the exportation of rubber from the Far East, Firestone was the one large tire manufacturer to take up the cause for the car owner. Soon after the agitation was started for America to produce rubber under its own control, the cost of crude rubber was reduced and tire prices brought back to normal.

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INTERALLIED CONFERENCE OPENS IN BRITISH OFFICE

TEXAS COUNTY FIGHTS TYPHUS QUARANTINE

DAVIS SEVERS ALL LEGAL AND BUSINESS CONNECTIONS

U. S. DIGNITARIES ARE GREETED BY MEMBERS OF BODY

By LLOYD ALLEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, July 16.—The fifteenth important interallied conference since the Versailles treaty was opened this morning in the spacious offices of Premier Ramsay MacDonald at the Foreign Office, where statesmen of ten nations gathered about a large horseshoe table for still another discussion of reparations.

In the enighteen months that have elapsed since the last fateful conclave at Paris, January, 1923, the French and Belgians invaded the Ruhr and Germany ceased payments. More recently, Europe took heart over the experts' report as a basis of settlement and it was to consider ways and means of giving effect to this report that the present conference assembled.

Standing in the doorway of his offices, MacDonald, labor Premier who will preside at his first interallied gathering, welcomed American Ambassador Kellogg and Colonel James A. Logan, Jr., Premier Herriot, of France, accompanied by General Nollett, Minister Destefani and Denava, of Italy; Premier Theunis and Minister Hymans, of Belgium; Viscount Ishii and M. Payashi, of Japan, besides officials and dignitaries from Portugal, Jugo Slavia, Greece and Roumania, and scores of experts and secretaries.

Outside the Foreign Office, a great crowd of Londoners and many American tourists stood all morning watching the delegates arrive.

The dimunitive Japanese statesmen were the first to drive up and after them representatives of the various nations came in quick succession.

There was an air of cheerful optimism in the Foreign Office corridors and statesmen spoke to one another of the possibilities of this time settling the difficult reparations tangle. The fact that Ambassador Kellogg and Colonel Logan took seats at the horseshoe table in the center and were to participate in the deliberations, had much to do with the optimism on the part of the Europeans.

Golf Athletes Of Mexia Win Easily Over Corsicanians

Hardy Eubanks and John Sweatt Tuesday afternoon made a distinct hit as proficient Golfists and lifted the local club high in the estimation of neighboring communities where golf is now a major sport. They defeated Dick and Sam Jackson of Corsicana. The latter hold an enviable record in their home club as among the best golf players in this section of Texas and the Corsicana club was certain that these two gentlemen would have "easy pickin's" against even the best that the Mexia Country club could present. The results of Tuesday were, therefore, quite a surprise as the country club athletes won two up. They will soon be in shape to meet the best to be found in the State. "Watch their smoke."

The Jackson boys play a fast game and highly praised the Mexia Country club golf links.

OPENING PRICES

NEW YORK, July 16.—The stock market opened irregular. United States Steel 100 1-8, up 1-8; Pan-American B 48 1-8; Union Pacific, 136 1-2, off 1-8; General Electric, 241 3-4, off 1-4; Northern Pacific 63; Marland 29 1-8, off 1-8; Erie 31; Baldwin 115 1-4, off 3-4; Studebaker 37 1-4, up 1-4; Reading 57 1-2; General Motors 14 1-2; AT&T 123 1-2; American Can 116 7-8, off 3-8; International Paper 58 1-2; Texas Company 38 1-2.

Foregn Exchange

NEW YORK, July 16.—Foreign exchange opened lower; sterling, 436¼; francs .0513; lire .0430½; Belgian .0453; marks 4,210 billion.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: EUGENE LIEGE & SAMUEL GOMPERS
Below: CHARLES B. WARREN & BENITO MUSSOLINI

Believing that friendly relations have been completely re-established with Mexico, American Ambassador Charles Beecher Warren will resign at the end of July. Eugene Liegh, famous French race horse trainer, has arrived in America to condition Epinard, crack French thoroughbred, for his series of match races against the best horses in the United States. Samuel Gompers, aged president of the American Federation of Labor, has suffered a nervous breakdown in New York City. The Liberal newspaper L'Oeuvre, of Paris, openly charges that Fascisti Premier Benito Mussolini gave orders to kill the millionaire Socialist Deputy, Giacomo Mattcotti, whose assassination stirred Italy.

GENERAL OUTLINE OF CAMPAIGN MADE OUT BY DEMOCRATS

By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, July 16.—After several days of intensive study over campaign strategy, Democratic leaders have laid down a general program of action as follows:

1. John W. Davis, the presidential candidate, will concentrate his major efforts toward winning the territory east of the Mississippi.

2. Charles W. Bryan, the vice presidential candidate, will apply himself mainly to the Middle West agricultural sections with the object of holding territory Senator La Follette would expect to capture.

3. In the Eastern States—Particularly New York, New Jersey, Rhode Island and Massachusetts—Governor Al Smith will be looked to for active stumping support of the ticket.

4. In the far Western and Southwestern States, William G. McAdoo will be counted on for speeches to aid the ticket.

It is generally agreed among the Democratic leaders that Davis must make a strenuous effort to win New York and New Jersey. Apart from his own prestige in this section, Davis would be greatly aided by Al Smith. Already the urge has begun on Smith to have him run again for Governor of New York. There is little doubt he would be able to win.

Cleveland Gripped By Smallpox Spread

CLEVELAND, July 16.—A smallpox quarantine was imposed on 4000 residents of Cleveland, and the order will not be removed until every one in the district has been vaccinated. Four deaths are reported. Seventy patrolmen, roped off the district where twenty-five nurses and doctors are vaccinating.

NO, WE WILL HAVE BANANAS

HOUSTON, Texas, July 16.—The Carribbean Fruit Company, newly organized, has purchased 30,000 acres of Nicaraugan land on which to plant bananas. The company will operate a fleet of banana boats between their plantation and Houston.

CENSORSHIP IS NOW COMPLETE ON NEWS IN BRAZIL

BUENOS AIRES, July 16.—A complete censorship appears to have been clamped down on news from Rio de Janeiro and Santos on the rebellion in the State of Sao Paulo, Brazil.

The United Press has received no dispatches from it staff correspondent in either of these cities for more than twelve hours and is informed that further messages will not be sent from Santos, where the military authorities are in complete control, following the declaration of martial law.

Unconfirmed reports here state that several foreign correspondents in Brazil have been asked to refrain from further dispatches on the situation unless specifically authorized by the Government.

Montevideo dispatches state that press messages from Southern Brazilian points also have been stopped.

It is assumed, however, the correspondents may be allowed to file the regular official communiques which are issued from time to time in Rio de Janeiro by the Federal Government.

Search For Major McLeary Goes On

RALEIGH, N. C., July 16.—Search for Major Samuel H. McLeary, missing for two weeks, was continued with fast waning hopes that he would be found alive. Every clue so far has failed to locate any trace of him.

BIBLE SCHOOL IS GROWING ALL TIME

The Daily Vacation Bible School at the Central Presbyterian Church now has one hundred and twenty enrolled. The attendance this morning was ninety. Rev. Aubrey requests that any other children who desire to enter the school enroll tomorrow if they desire full credit for work done. The parents are asked to cooperate with the school by sending the children promptly giving them time to be present at 8:30 a. m. for the opening exercises. When the children are late they miss an interesting and important part of the work. Prizes were awarded to the children for an enrollment contest. No charge is made for enrolling.

EASTERN OFFICE TO BE OPENED IN NEW YORK HOSTELRY

NEW YORK, July 16.—As the first step in getting his campaign definintely under way, John W. Davis announced his severance of all legal and business connections. Democratic Eastern headquarters will be opened in Murray Hill Hotel. The selection of a campaign manager probably will be made tonight or tomorrow.

The plan of the campaign as outlined will include concentration by Davis on territory east of the Mississippi. Bryan will confine his efforts to the middle west with the object of holding territory La Follette would expect to capture.

In the Eastern states Governor Al Smith will be looked to for active stumping, while, in the far west and southwest McAdoo will be counted on for active work.

Buffalo Sod Is Great For Grain

GARDEN CITY, Kas., July 16.—W. L. Farquaharson left Wichita a year ago in the hole financially.

He drove westward across Kansas until he came to a barren stretch of land northeast of here—and decided to play a hunch.

The land had never been broken. It was a big tract of the original buffalo sod.

Farquharson leased 1,600 acres, on his promise to pay crop rent. He could have had thousands of acres more for the asking.

He rented a tractor and plow equipment on share basis, sowed his wheat and today—

"Well, there it goes," he said, pointing to a fleet of trucks stirring up the dust heading for the Garden City market. "My hunch won and my share of the crop, after all expenses are paid, will bring $35,000."

Rotarians Go To Palestine Meeting

A. H. Eubanks, Nelson Forrest, and J. W. Elliott, members of the Rotary club of this city, are expecting to be in Palestine Thursday at which time they will attend a Rotary celebration to be given by the Club of that city. The event is expected to attract Rotarians from all parts of this section of the state.

The Mexia Rotary club will hold its usual weekly session. The program committee is composed of Jim Hodges, Huch Huchingson and Bill Kendrick.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero: Walter Johnson who struck his finest form and let the Indians down with five hits, Washington winning, 4 to 2.

An eighth inning argument was won by the Yankees which gave them a victory over St. Louis, 5 to 4. The argument was whether Outfielder Bennet, of the Browns, caught Meusel's low fly or trapped it. Umpire Owens ruled the latter version was correct.

The Giants put over a deluge of base hits off three Cub pitchers and won, 9 to 4.

The Robins pounded Sothoron for five runs in the first frame and won from the Cards 7 to 4.

Meadows held the Phillies and the Pirates won, 3 to 1.

Eddie Collins and Mostil were hitting like demons and the White Sox won from Boston, 8 to 6.

The Tigers kept up a steady rain of base hits and won from the Mackmen, 11 to 9.

Mays shut out Boston and the Reds won, 7 to 0.

Miss Elise Gibson of this city is spending a vacation of two weeks at Sylvan Beach where she is the house guest of J. N. Royall and family of Corsicana.

ESCAPED WITH $5,000 PAY ROLL BUT LOSES HIS LIFE ON ARREST

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyoming, July 16.—C. N. Fisher, alleged to have absconded with the semi-monthly pay roll of the Gunn-Qualy Coal company, amounting to $5000, was shot to death while resisting arrest at Gun, Wyoming. Fisher had been pursued for nearly 24 hours with airplanes and by posses on horseback, afoot and in automobiles.

LIMESTONE COUNTY INJURED

The subject of roads and highways involves the pocket books of practically every citizen and tax payer.

Limestone County, due to court proceedings against the State Highway Department, is helplessly placed in the attitude of posing as being bigger than the State of Texas.

The question ought to be asked by every Limestone man and woman, shall the arbitrary opinion of just a few men destroy the whole highway system of Texas?

Is Limestone county to continue to be the only county in the whole state that will not receive state aid?

Are the citizens going to permit a few officials of this county to continue this suicidal pact and allow our state highways to be completely worn out?

The State Highway Department went over the State Roads on January 1st and agreed to maintain them in good condition as they found them.

After traveling over thousands of miles of these state maintained roads, men who know, men who have been over them and citizens generally see wonderful improvement already. The State Highway Department has done and is doing a wonderful work.

The Limestone county suit can not result in good to the county nor to the state. It has already wrought immeasurable harm to this section in that it has gone to the State and Nation and said this is the only county in the state standing out with the selfish, provincial policy of standing out alone and refusing to cooperate for a broad program of state wide highways.

Be it said to the credit of the county that it is the belief of many who have discussed the subject with citizens that only a very small minority of Limestone County men and women are in sympathy with the suit against the State Highway Department and the majority would undo the act of the officials of the Commissioners Court who did not consult them before action. This majority has a remedy. It will be presented to them at the polls all over Limestone county in the primaries of this month.

By such action they will do a great service for their home county. Limestone County has become ridiculous, because of its toleration of this act, in the eyes of the State of Texas. Limestone County's suit is blocking progress and is hurting this county more than any other unit of the state.

Limestone County citizens are as progressive and as intelligent and as loyal as the citizens of any county in Texas. They are getting their eyes open to conditions and to the facts and they may be depended upon July 28 to name members of the Commissioners Court who will immediately withdraw the suit and enable this people to march in step with the whole state in putting over a highway program that will connect the whole state with a net work of better roads and highways.

REUNION GROUND THROBS WITH REUNION SPIRIT

With crowds constantly increasing, with the voices of happy families and friends reunited and paying tribute to veterans of the Joe Johnston camp; with the music of the Elks band rising above the clamor of the big jolly crowd, the beautiful Reunion Grounds are now the mecca towards which thousands of people are journeying in conveyances of all descriptions and the event this year is sure to be recorded by the historian as one of the most successful in history. It is fully accomplishing the purpose for which it came into being. Great addresses, inspiring talks and a general picnic atmosphere pervaded the grounds today and will continue Thursday and Friday with increasing numbers. The concert by the Elks band tonight will help entertain the throngs and another big program is planned for the following two days.

Twenty Four Are Missing In Fire Sweeping Forest

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Forest fires are centering in Northern California and Idaho with at least twenty-four persons missing and two injured.

Fires in Idaho destroyed 250 homes in Pink Green Canyon vicinity.

Gales are sweeping the fires thru Klamath National Forest.

Two hundred men were conscripted to fight the blaze.

STATE WITHDRWS ITS PROTEST IN CASE AGAINST RAILROADS

AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—The state withdrew its request to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a rehearing to enter a protest against the El Paso Southwestern and Southern Pacific combine. The attorney general mailed a written protest to Washington.

Saunders Case Upheld By The Higher Courts

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 16.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals upheld the lower court decision restraining Clarence Saunders, of Piggly Wiggly fame from starting up a chain of stores to make back his lost fortune. The court held that such a system would be an infringement on Piggly stores patent rights.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Thursday generally fair.

West Texas—Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy, probably showers in extreme west.

Cards from Blake Smith indicate that he is now in Montreal, to which point he and his son, Blake, Jr. and Mrs. Smith have journed by auto. They go from Montreal to Maine and are probably there by this time. The trip has been one of great interest.

STARR OFFICERS CLAIM TYPHOID INSTEAD OF TYPHUS

AUSTIN, July 16.—Quartine may be declared against Starr county by the State Health Department unless county officials co-operate fully with the Department in its efforts to check what the Health Department claims is an epidemic of typhus fever. Although no statement was given out it was known that State Health Officer Duggan, who diagnosed the disease, may declare a quarantine if co-operation is not given. Starr county authorities claim the disease is typhoid, not typhus.

U. S. GLOBE FLIERS NOW IN ENGLAND

LONDON, July 16.—The United States Army 'round the world flyers reached London today.

Winging their way across the mist of the English Channel and across the mainland, the three American planes were sighted shortly before 2 p. m. over Croydon, a suburb of London, where they circled preparatory to landing.

Thousands of people who had been awaiting arrival of the aviators cheered lustily as the airplanes hove in view.

CROYDON, England, July 16.—Circling down to the level plains of Croydon, where an immense crowd held in check by cordons of police, welcomed them, America's world flyers landed their planes at the airdome here this afternoon, having flown from Paris in less than three hours.

The Stars and Stripes were flown at numerous points about the 150 acre drome, and many Americans were among the throngs which cheered Lieut. Smith and his companions.

Offiacils of the Air Minstry, including General Branckner, air commander, extended official welcome to the aviators.

A score of mechanics were waiting to groom the world flight machines, the first thought of the flyers after they had landed.

The crowds made a rush for the spot where the planes came to earth but were held back by a thin blue line of London "Bobbies" specially picked for the occasion.

The sleepy little neighboring village of Waddon was in state of excitement since dawn and the single track trolly connecting it with Croydon was kept busy bringing as many as it could hold to the airdrome.

After the first welcome here, the airmen were to go to London by automobile.

The Americans took off from Le Bourget on the outskirts of Paris at 11:06 a. m. and were escorted by five French planes as far as the Channel. There an air express plane carrying 14 passengers who had paid huge sums for the privilege, guided the world flyers to England.

MAY BE PREHISTORIC LOBSTER NEWBURG

NEWBURG, Ore., July 15.—Widespread speculation is centered here in the discovery of fossil remains of what is believed to be bones of some mammoth, prehistoric, carnivorous animal.

William Myers, electric company employee, was clearing out the "old swimmin' hole" in Chehalem River when he made the discovery. What appeared to be several leg and jaw bones were found lying on the bed of the stream beneath four feet of water.

Huge tusks, six feet in length and seven inches in diameter at the base, were found. The lower jaw bones weighed 25 pounds each. Each contained three large teeth in the molar region. The interior two were formed of three rows of flattened cusps, the posterior having five rows of very sharp cusps.

Further search is being made in hope of discovering more remains.

Radio

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By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

July 16, 1924.

6 to 7 p. m.

WDAR, 6, Conversation corner.
KYW, 6 to 6:30. Dinner concert.
WDAF, 6 to 7, Sheool of the Air
WDAR, 6:10, Concert orchestra.
KFO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30, Radio travelogue.
WDAR, 6:45, Green Hill Farms dance orchestra.

7 to 8 p. m.

WHB, 7 to 8, Address; music.
WMAQ, 7, University lecture.
WOO, 7, WOO orchestra.
WBZ, 7, Vocal numbers.
KYW, 7 to 7:58, Musical program with Russian soprano.
WOO, 7:10, Concert orchestra.
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBZ, 7:30, Piano music.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Melodists.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.
WWJ, 7:30, Schmeman's band.

8 to 9 p. m.

WLW, 8, Song recital
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Program
WOS, 8, Address
KSD, 8, Program
WOO, 8, Dance orchestra.
WDAR, 8, Dance orchestra.
KHJ, 8 to 8:30, Hickman's orchestra.
WOC, 8, Organ recital.
WMAQ, 8:15, La Ponsa College of Music.
WLW, 8:20, Virginia entertainers.
WOS, 8:20, Barn dance tunes.
WWJ, 8:30, Detroit News orchestra.
KFSG, 8:30 to 9:30, "Kozy Hour."
KHJ, 8:45 to 9:30, Children's program.
KYW, 8:45 to 11:30, Midnight revue
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Detective stories and concert.

9 to 10 p. m.

WLW, 9, Violinist.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WBZ, 9:30, Hotel Brunswick orchestra.

10 to 11 p. m.

KPO, 10 to 1 a. m., Versatile band.
KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald Blue Boys orchestra.
KHJ, 10 to 12, Lecture
WBZ, 10 Songs.
KGW, 10, Concert.

11 to 12

KFI, 11 to 12, Penwomen of America.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once. Fashion Embroidereis, 994 Lima, Ohio. 16A6

Rough Dry.

Local News

Macy Webb is in Groesbeck today.

Frank Bolton is a Groesbeck visitor today.

E. H. Morrill of Waco is visiting in Mexia.

Tom Schulz of Temple was in the city Tuesday.

C. A. Harris from Bryan was in Mexia Tuesday.

B. M. Harrison of Childers, Texas is visiting in the city.

R. C. McBride was a business visitor from Waco Tuesday.

A. E. Cuny of Waco was in Mexia Tuesday on business.

M. P. Butler is visiting his family in Houston this week.

Mr. U. P. Melton is in Mexia this week mixing with old friends.

J. Wilson of Temple was a business visitor in Mexia Tuesday.

Dr. T. E. Oates has returned from a professional trip to Dallas.

M. Queen and L. R. Crain both of Corsicana are business visitors in the city.

Miss Jane Tyson of Cameron is in the city visiting Miss Glynn Mitchell.

A. A. Meador of Laneville, Texas, is here for a few days visiting his brother, Tom Meador.

Miss Estelle Bauder is spending several days with her mother in Waxahachie.

Mrs. George F. Campbell and children of Abilene, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Roy Westmoreland.

Miss Mable Wood of Ranger is the charming visitor of her sister Miss Mary Wood of this city.

J. G. Willis of Tehuacana is in Nashville Tennessee this Summer. He is studying at Peabody College.

Warren W. Hunt has returned from points in South Texas where he has been spending much of the time in recent months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buckner and children, Billy and Paul, are taking a little vacation visiting friends in Western Texas.

Prayer meeting services will be held in all local churches tonight. The public is cordially urged to attend these weekly studies of God's Word.

Mrs. W. B. Lyman and daughter, Miss Nell, from Roswell, New Mexico, and Mrs. Mathilda McCormick of Lampasas are visiting Mrs. J. K. Hughes.

David Murphy and family left Wednesday morning in their car for Davis Mountains where they will spend about two weeks fishing and camping.

Mrs. J. W. Prickett was reported in Tuesday's paper as being in the Baptist Sanitarium in Waco. This should have been the Baptist Sanitarium in Dallas.

M. L. McDonald and Aubrey A. Kindred of the postoffice force have returned from their vacation spent in the mountains of Arkansas, and they report a delightful time.

Quite a number from here are in Groesbeck today to hear the political address of Former Governor Jim Ferguson, who is speaking in the interest of his wife's candidacy for Governor.

The latest report from Mrs. Homer Tomlin who is recovering from an operation which she underwent in Dallas, is that she is getting along nicely. Mr. Tomlin returned the latter part of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McGill and their daughter, Miss Fay, of Georgetown, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Newberry at 911 East Bowie. They will leave Mexia Thursday and motor to their home in Georgetown.

Hon. I. W. Keys returned several days ago from Kentucky, where he visited his former home, homefolks, relatives and friends. He was in Louisville part of the time and while there, like the average Kentuckian, to see the races. He also spent a while in the Mountainous regions of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd and son, Walter Kline, Jr., returned Tuesday from a brief visit with home folks at Terrell. They made the trip by auto. Mr. Boyd states the roads are in fair condition between Corsicana and Terrell, by way of Kaufman, by which route it is about 100 miles between the two points.

Nelson Forrest has just received a letter from his son, Machon Forrest, who, with Jim Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith, is on a trip to the far Northwest. They are making the long journey in a Ford and have had little trouble so far. They were in Butte, Montana, when the letter was written and still had their noses north west. They have been away about three weeks.

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Come and join us.
(Political Advertisement)

Local Marine Is To Visit Tropics

QUANTICO, Va., July 16.—The little Republic of Haiti in the West Indies will soon be visited by Russell Nowlin, formerly of Mexia, Texas, who left here recently with a detachment of U. S. Marines. He will probably remain in Haiti for a year or longer before returning to the United States.

Russell lived at the home of his father, Mr. Abb Nowlin, of Mexia, before he joined the Marine Corps at Dallas in May, 1923. He was stationed at Quantico for several weeks before leaving for Hampton Roads, Va., where he embarked on a naval vessel for Haiti.

Detachments of U. S. Marines have been on duty in Haiti since 1915, when a force landed there to restore order during a revolution. Peaceful conditions now prevail, and most of the sea soldiers are stationed at Port au Prince, the capital. Athletic sports, moving pictures and entertainments break the monotony of the regular military routine.

Soap and Talcum Powder
Days Variety Store

TOO MANY CIGARETS

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 16.—The growing habit of cigaret smoking was "deplored" by the annual meeting of the 12th district W. C. T. U. held at Cleburne and school boards are requested by members of the organization to use their influence to secure teachers not addicted to the habit.

Amusements

NATIONAL
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
THOMAS MEIGHAN in
"THE CONFIDENCE MAN"

PALACE
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
"IN THE PALACE OF THE KING"
with Blanche Sweet and Herbert Bosworth

OPERA HOUSE
Thursday - Friday - Saturday
"HOOK AND LADDER"
with JACK HOXIE

NATIONAL
Thursday - Friday - Saturday

THOMAS MEIGHAN and VIRGINIA VALLI
—in—
"THE CONFIDENCE MAN"

CLOSING OUT SALE of SUMMER HATS

For the Remainder of this Week We Will Place on Sale Three Big Groups of Summer Millinery at These Prices.

YOU CAN'T BEAT THESE PRICES SO COME AND PICK OUT YOURSELF A NEW SUMMER HAT

One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $1.00
One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $1.45
One Big Group of Summer Hats on sale at each $3.00

SALE OF SUMMER PIECE GOODS

—A beautiful lot of Tissue Ginghams in plaids, checks and stripes, reduced from 75c per yard and placed on sale this week at the yard 49c
—Several dozen pieces of 75c Voile in the wanted designs and colors. Special for the week at the yard 49c
—Another lot of pretty Voile in desired patterns, our regular 50c grades, special for this week at the yard 25c
—Closing out our stock of $1.00 Dotted Swiss—all patterns at the yard 49c
All of the above materials you will find out on display.

HICKMAN'S
"LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOP"

CLOSED Thursday All Day
Arranging Our Store For The Biggest Bargain Event For Our
3rd. Anniversary Sale THE BOSTON STORE
Watch for our Double Truck in Tomorrow's Paper

LEAGUE ASSOCIATIONS HEAR JAPAN AND HAITI PROTEST U. S. POLICIES

By HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LYONS, France (By Mail to United Press.)—A Japanese move to have the League of Nations tell the United States the League stood for racial equality was made here recently.

When the International Union of League of Nations Associations met in annual congress, the Japanese delegation introduced a resolution providing that, without involving the question of immigration, all League members should apply the same requirements for admission and departure of commercial, mercantile and professional groups from other member countries, and also grant foreigners, regardless of race, equality with nationals in the establishment of business and professions.

Haiti Complains.

The United States also came in for an international grueling about our military occupation by armed force of the republic of San Domingo and Haiti.

The placing of this question on the agenda of the International Union of League of Nations Associations followed a long effort on the part of Haiti and some of the smaller central American republics to get before an international organization Uncle Sam's alleged strong arm tactics in dealing with them.

Following an effort last year to get the question before the League of Nations, the Latin Block of the League assembly had a private meeting at Geneva, where the question was discussed. In order not to stir up trouble with the League and engender animosity on the part of the United States the question was tactfully sidetracked and kept under cover.

Entirely undaunted by this failure, however, the Haitian delegation then carried the question before the International Union of League of Nations Associations and it was written down on the agenda for the meeting.

The entire situation created by the United States military occupation of San Dimingo was presented by Louis Dante Bellegrade, the Haitian minister to Paris, who, during the past assemblies of the League of Nations, has created an international reputation for himself as a silver tongued orator in French.

It was Monsieur Bellegrade who brought before the League assembly the question of South Africa's suppression by air bombing and other modern war methods of a native revolt in which a large number of negroes, including women and children, were killed.

Monsieur Bellegrade, who is himself colored, has won a marked position in League of Nations circles for his defense of the colored race.

The confreence was composed of delegates from the League of Nations socities in nearly all of the leading countries of the world, including several, such as Russia and Germany, which are not members of the League.

As the delegates were in no way official representatives of their governments and therefore in no way restricted in their utterances by the policy or instructions of their governments, they were free to go into questions which the League, for political reasons, might prefer to dodge.

As a consequence, it is expected that the question of Uncle Sam's occupation of San Domingo will be treated with ungloved hands.

Reparations Discussed

The conference tackled the problem of reparations which the League has side-stepped, to date, but on the question of disarmament used as a basis of its discussion the League's proposed international treaty of mutual guarantee as a basis of disarmament.

Another important question to come before the conference was a proposition by Russia for the creation of an international council of arbitration and mediation.

The conference considered several new applications for membership, including the League of Nations Associations of Albania, Australia, Canada, Ireland, Luxembourg and the Jewish organization in Czecho-Slovakia.

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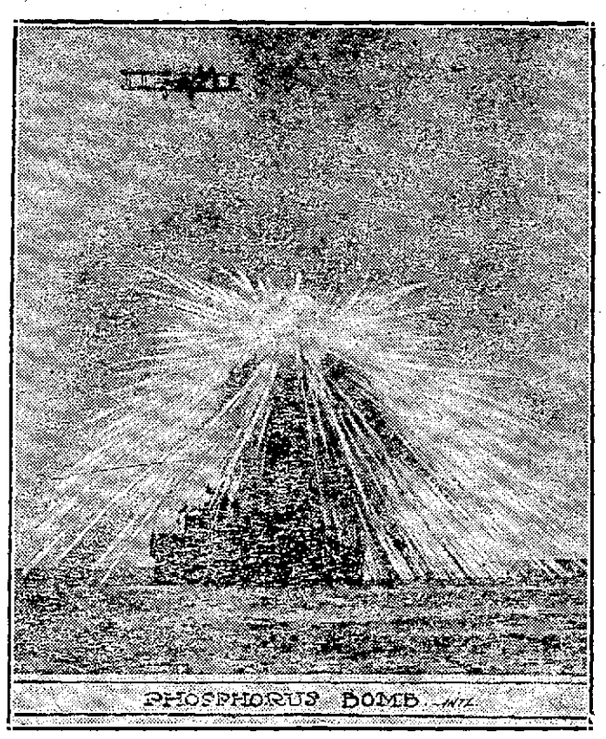

This picture, made months ago, has been kept as a closely guarded secret by the U. S. Army Air Service, and has just been released for publication. When the army airmen bombed old ships that were scrapped under the disarmament treaty they used a new and deadly form of bomb—a 1,000 pound missile loaded with phosphorous, with its devastating effects. Nothing could be more illuminating as a text on the value of the airplane during war than this picture, showing a direct hit on the fire control platform of the old battleship. No one could have lived aboard the vessel.

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Prohibition Records of Candidates

The issue of The Home and State, bearing the date of July, discusses the records of candidates for national offices as to prohibition. Each Congressional district in Texas is taken up and the statement is made that Hon. Harry M. Wurzback, Republican, of San Antonio, is the only Congressman from Texas who can be relied upon by the liquor forces. Practically all the others support dry legislation.

They take the honorable position that national prohibition is in the Constitution. They thus feel honor bound to support any reasonable bill that aims to secure better enforcement of the Eighteenth amendment.

Concerning Hon. Luther Johnson, Congressman from this district, of Corsicana, who is here this week, the Home and State says:

"He is a splendid Presbyterian layman, life long prohibitionist and splendid man."

In the candidates for office in Limestone County, it would be interesting to know just how each man stands on the subject. They are invited and urged to express their views through the press on this subject.

Of more than usual interest would statements along this line be from candidates for County and District Attorneys and from County and District Judges as well as from the candidates for the legislature, both house and senate.

It's time to speak out now.

Health Campaign Needed

President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge have passed through the shadows recentiy, when they lost their fine sixteen year old son who bore his father's name. They have the sympathy of the best people in the world, the people who make America what it is and citizens who are always touched with sympathy when one of the little ones of the country is claimed by the cold hand of death.

The death of Calvin Coolidge, Jr., will no doubt cause parents everywhere to take greater precaution in safeguarding the health of their children. They will pay more heed to the "little things of life" which often break down health, undermine character, dwarf human souls and finally end in death. He was a noble lad, bubbling over with joy as A White House Boy and as a son of the President of these United States. Proud of his father, he was, even when writhing in pain.

The original source of this pain was in a little bruise he received on his foot while playing tennis. Like many other lads, he was not wearing stockings and had the loose sandal rubbing up and down on his bare feet. A pin head size scratch soon became a mountain. He used the drop of iodine which should always be used on sore spots and bruises or abrasions immediately but the poisonous germs which are so prevalent on the ground in the grass and in the great out of doors found that sore place and the iodine was unable to counteract their influence. The germ that infected his foot is one which medical science has not yet learned to combat. However, iodine is known as the best medicine to apply on cuts, bruises or sores and should always be applied.

America must become aroused and do her duty to child health. The citizens of this country should be gravely concerned over the fact that this nation with all its wealth and scientific knowledge and spirit of benevolence, stands sixth among the countries of the world in organized efforts to save the health of childhood, and seventeenth in provisions made for the preservation of the lives of mothers of children.

Much of the damage is to be traced to those diseases of children to which, in the popular belief, they are natural heirs and which they must have sooner or later.

A campaign of enlightenment is needed in every community to destroy such false notions and to teach the people as a whole how to care for child life and make sturdier the foundations of this homeland.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx

PETTING PARTY PRODUCTS

A news item tells of a young girl, not yet 18 years of age, taking her own life by drinking poison. Away from the home where a few months ago she was happy and the pride of loving parents, among strangers who seemed indifferent as to her condition, and although in the midst of a fast life, no doubt blinded by the bright lights of wild revelries, the future for her was dark and gloomy and she became despondent and chose the shortest and quickest route into that mysterious world from which no traveler has ever returned.

What a tragic ending of a life that might have been devoted to home building and usefulness. The beginning of this tragedy was no doubt the supposed romance of joy riding and roadside petting parties, and was entered into with no thought of wrong and with never a dream of the possible ending in a suicide's grave.

These incidents are not infrequent, but we do not seem to notice them until the sorrow of it enters the home of some near heighbor or friend. Then it is that the awfulness of such a condition shocks us, and we ought to begin to wake up and do something to either put a stop to it or at least slow it down.

What is the cause of it all?

Too much familiarity between the sexes—young boys and girls crowded into automobiles two and three deep, burning the wind in a mad rush through streets and over country roads to some secluded spot where the real petting begins, and too often ends in a wrecked life.

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Children are just children, and as a rule will mind their parents when they come to realize that the parents know best. It is not often that children wilfully disobey their parents and go astray. It is too often the result of lack of interest on the part of mothers and fathers, who seem to be themselves bent on having a good time and who seem to care little or nothing about the welfare or whereabouts of their sons and daughters, but let them run wild day and night in any sort of company only to realize after it is too late that the proper care might have saved their loved ones from lives of shame and the home from disgrace and sorrow.

It is time to put on the brakes and stop the mad rush through life that is fraught with so much danger, disaster, and disgrace. Parents, wake up to your duties and save the youth of the land.

John and Charley. Two good, old-fashioned names that should appeal to the plain people backed up as they are by sterling worth and unimpeachable character. John Davis and Charley Bryan. In these two the East and West have met despite Rudyard Kipling assertion to the contrary.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

Death Lurks in Sheep Skin Powder Puffs

HOUSTON, Texas, July 16.—Sheepskin powder puffs are a menace if used before being sterilized, according to Dr. A. J. Phillips, city veteranian.

Several deaths in Texas have been due to anthrax, a prevalent disease of sheep and cattle, presumably transmitted by powder puffs made of the wool or skins of infected sheep.

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DALLAS, Texas, July 16.—Seventeen counties in Texas have iron ore in commercial grades and quantities, and the state should begin soon to exploit its natural resources by the creation of a great industrial area, Dr. Henry Payne, consulting engineer of the American Mining Congress declared in an address here.

A great steel center is most logical for north Texas, Payne said, on account of the undeveloped manganese fields in Llano and Mason counties as well as natural oil and gas resources and potential waterpower in the foot hills of the Panhandle.

In his address Payne declared that quicksilver deposits cover 600 square miles in Brewester county, that the ores of tin have been found in Mason county, and that "copper in north Texas, zinc in west Texas, and lead in El Paso, Brewster and Burnett counties await the prospectors pick."

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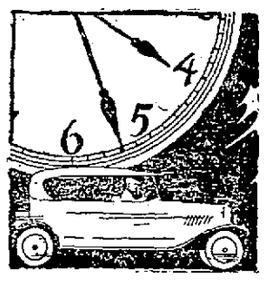

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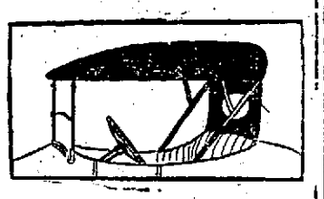
Concerning the Democratic Convention, he writes: "I have met quite a few New Yorkers and find all of the real substantial men against Al Smith" and were pleased with him that Smith was not nominated.



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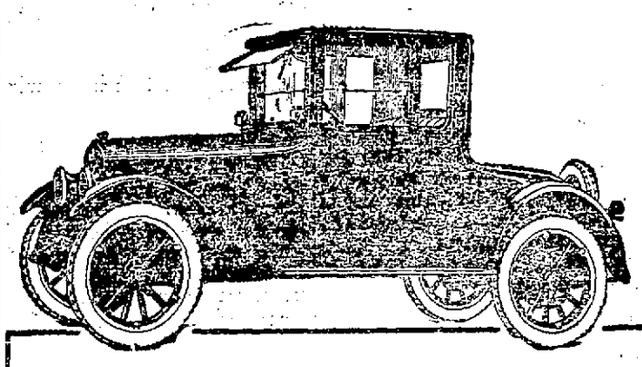

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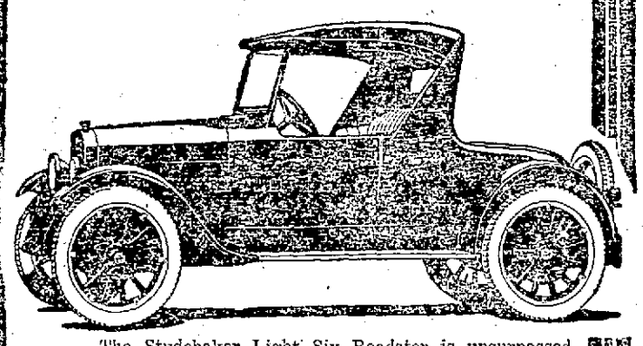

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OLYMPIC FAMILY IS DISORGANIZED AS EVER TODAY

By HENRY L. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, July 15.—The big Olympic family party was as busy and as disorganized today as a yard full of school children.

With the husky Yale crew that is America's for Olympic purposes meeting its first test on the Seine, boxing contests in which Americans are favorites starting at the Celodrome d'Hiver; Americans scoring sweeping victories at tennis almost before nets were tight, and scullers and mermaids and modern pentathlon entrants striving to press their starry shields home ahead of contestants from some forty other nations, a "spectator" at the Olympic games today needed as many eyes as a Colorado potato.

Victories here and defeats there are coming so rapidly these days it is almost impossible to follow them.

The American doubles pair, Vincent Richards and Francis T. Hunter, won at tennis today from Williams and Bailey, Australia, in straight sets 6-1, 612 and 6-2. The dashing Senorita Alvarez, of Spain, who yesterday put our little Brooklyn girl, Lillian Schraman out of the women's singles, advanced another step toward a meeting with Helen Wills by beating Miss Tolley, of India, 6-0 and 6-3.

It has been decided to score first place in tennis as 10, with 5 for the losers in the finals, while the two losers in the semi-finals shall meet, the winner scoring 4 and the loser 3.

Manuel Alonzo, the Spanish star, who is a ranking player in the United States, defeated Robson, Argentine, 7-9, 6-4, 6-0, 6-4.

In the rowing, Yale was pitted against crews of Holland and Canada, neither of which was expected to produce any dangerous opposition.

W. E. Garrett Gilmore of Philadelphia is favorite in the single sculls as a result of his victory over the English champion, Jack Beresford, Jr. winner of the diamond sculls.

American girl swimmers, Misses Wainwright, Ederle and Norelus have qualified for the final in the 400-meter free style event. Our men divers also are placed. In the 1,500 meter swim for men, however, Adam Smith of Erie and Richard Howell, of Northwestern University failed to qualify.

May Be La Follette's Running Mate.

SEN. H. SHIPSTEAD

United States Senator Henrick Shipstead, of Minnesota, elected on the Farmer-Labor ticket, is prominently mentioned as the running mate for U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette, Independent candidate for the Presidency.

LETTERS From the People

TO THE OBSERVER

We certainly want to thank the observer for the nice compliment that was passed on our party of July 11th.

We are glad that some can see that the boys and girls of today are not all bad, as some people seem to believe. We must not forget that every thing changes with time, if dancing Josie and Shooting the Buffalo were the greatest amusements of today, that is what the young people would do, but time has changed the sports and amusements just as it has styles and everything else.

That is where some people get it that the world is going down hill.

We want to thank the Observer again and the next time; you are all invited to come in and enjoy yourselves if you wish.

—Just One of the Gang.

Rough Dry

NEW PAPER AT LUBBOCK

ABILENE, Texas, July 16.—The Western Weekly has been added to the Lubbock Plains Journal, owners of the magazine which circulates thruout West Texas have announced. Officers of the company are Curtis Keen, Lubbock, president; Bernard Hanks, Abilene, vice president; Lindsey Nunn, Amarillo, treasurer and Houston Harte, San Angelo, secretary.

FORD USED AS BARREL

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—H. H. Sunday lacked the preverbial barrel when someone stole his trousers while he cooled off in a swimming hole on the city's outskirts. Sunday clambered into his Ford in his B V Ds and motored to police headquarters with his shirt draped across his lap.

Rough Dry.

BOOZE AND GASOLINE

PORT ARTHUR, Teras, July 16.—C. E. Booze told Judge Dycus he did not "have enough will power" to keep from stepping on the accelerator of his car. "Too bad," said the judge. "I've got enough will power to fine you $10 for speeding."

LONG MAIL ROUTE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—In the 23 years that he has been a rural mail carrier, C. A. Blackwood has traveled 250,000 miles, or ten times around the world. All this mileage has been made on his route.

NAME REDUCED TO O.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—The shortest name in the new city directory here is that of Mr. O. Mr. O is a brick mason and his full name is Cresenica de la O.

NOTICE

Will the parents whose child brought home a new big red rubber tired tricycle from Hughes Park, return to Mrs. J. W. Lanning 212 South Canton street or phone 641-W. 15-3t

NOTICE.

All parties who wish to transfer their children from other districts to Mexia Independent School District, will please see J. D. Arrington at City Hall. All transfers must be made in the month of July.

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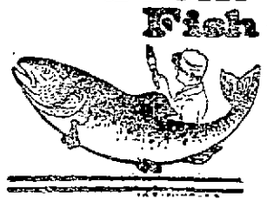

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.

Corsicana 8, Mexia 1.
Marlin 7, Austin 0.
Waco 4, Temple 1.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	21	14	7	.667
Corsicana	23	14	9	.609
Marlin	21	13	9	.591
Mexia	22	10	12	.455
Austin	22	10	12	.455
Temple	22	4	18	.182

Where They Play Today.

Austin at Mexia.
Temple at Marlin.
Corsicana at Waco.

CORSICANA 8, MEXIA 1.

CORSICANA, Texas, July 16.—Corsicana defeated Mexia, 8 to 1. Tuesday making it three out of four games of the series. Barrett hit his eighteenth home run of the season.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	4	2	2	4	0	1
Grubb 3 b	5	1	1	0	3	1
Thornton 1 b	4	1	2	11	1	0
Brown c f	3	1	2	3	0	0
Barrett r f	3	1	2	0	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Sain s s	4	1	2	4	4	0
Vann c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Hollis p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Total	33	8	14	27	13	2

Meria—						
Geppert s s	3	0	0	1	4	0
Fowlkes c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Butler l f	4	0	1	3	0	0
Seely r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Naylor 1 b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Bryan c f	4	0	1	2	1	0
Leady 2 b	3	0	0	3	7	0
Peel p	2	1	1	0	2	1
Jefferies p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	32	1	5	24	16	1

Mexia .....011 000 000—1
Corsicana .....000 230 12*—8

Home run—Barrett. Two-base hits—Barrett, Etheridge. Struck out—By Hollis 3. Bases on balls—Off Peel 2, Hollis 1. Losing pitcher—Peel.

WACO 4, TEMPLE 1.

TEMPLE, Texas, July 16.—The Indians made a clean sweep of the series by winning Tuesday, 4 to 1. The Surgeons played a listless game in the field. Lewis and Provence of the visitors played sensational ball, robbing the Surgeons of a number of hits when runners were in scoring position.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	2	2	2	0	0
Strickland 3 b	4	2	1	1	2	0
Lewis s s	5	0	2	2	5	0
Caffey r f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Provence c f	4	0	1	3	1	0
Shires 1 b	4	0	1	13	0	1
Humphreys c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Williams 2 b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Green p	4	0	0	1	3	0
Total	34	4	8	27	12	1

Temple—						
McElwee r f	3	0	0	3	0	1
Bush s s	4	1	2	1	4	1
Lind 1 b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Storey l f	3	0	1	2	0	0
Brown c f	4	0	1	4	0	0
Windham 2 b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Lance 3 b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Hudspeth c	4	0	0	6	0	1
Nugent p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	1	6	27	11	3

Waco .....200 000 200—4
Temple .....001 000 000—1

Two-base hits—Bush, Strickland. Sacrifice hit—Caffey. Stolen bases—McElwee, Kelly Lewis. Double plays—Windham to Bush to Lind; Provence to Lewis. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 5, Green 3. Umpire—Robbins.

SOME FLYER

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 16.—All records for speed between Pascagoula, Miss., and San Antonio have been smashed by a carrier pigeon owned by V. L. Gillett. The bird made the 605 miles in 19 hours, 50 minutes, and 10 seconds in a race held by the Lone Star Pigeon Club.

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R. D. Morgan is planning to entertain all the Boy Scouts of Mexia Friday night at Springfield with barbecued goat. The three troops of the city will be represented with a 100 per cent attendance and he Scoutmasters are extremely glad that Mr. Morgan has suggested the outing. The Scoutmasters are: Z. Rochelle, Troop 1; George Willets, Troop 2 and Dr. Harry Porter, Troop 3. Rev. W. B. Andrews and A. Garland Adair have been invited to address the youthful citizens. The feed will consist of barbecued goat and soda water, the boys to furnish whatever bread they eat. The scouts will be much interested in one feature planned which is a story by a 104 year old negro of the Battle of Fort Parker and the capture of Cynthia Ann Parker by the Indians.

MARLIN 7, AUSTIN 0.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—Biggers was right Tuesday, blanking the Rangers, 7-0. The Bathers gave Biggers great support.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon 2 b	4	0	0	5	2	1
Clements 3 b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Matlock s s	3	0	1	0	3	0
Anheier 1 b	3	0	0	10	2	0
Bedford c f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Light r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Courtney l f	3	0	1	0	1	1
Banner c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Mueller p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Humphreys p	2	0	0	1	4	0
McIver	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totall	28	0	3	27	15	2

Marlin—						
Craige c f	3	1	0	3	0	0
White 3 b	4	1	2	1	4	0
Greer l f	5	0	1	2	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Munson r f	4	1	1	2	0	0
Gressett 1 b	4	0	0	14	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	1	1	1	3	0
Covington c	3	1	0	3	1	0
Biggers p	4	2	2	0	3	0
Total	34	7	8	27	14	0

McIver hit for Humphreys in 9th

Marlin .....040 100 002—7
Austin .....000 000 000—0

Two-base hit—Courtney. Double play—Rawlings to Gressett. Struck out—By Humphreys 7, Biggers 3. Bases on balls—Off Mueller 4. Losing pitcher—Mueller.

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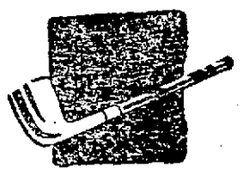

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Ordinance of the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof on the alley in Block 23 from Commerce Street to Palestine Street; the alley in Block 23 from Sherman Street to North and South alley; the alley in Block 24 from Commerce St. to Main St.; the alley in Block 24 from Sherman Street to North and South alley; the alley in block 55 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street; the alley in Block 56 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street, for a part of the cost of improving said alleys, and fixing a time for a hearing of the owners or agents of said owners of said property or of any persons interested in said improvements, as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, and directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing and examining and approving the plans and specifications and statement or report of the city engineer, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has heretofore by resolution passed and approved on the 2nd day of July, 1924, ordered the improvement of the alley in Block 23 from Commerce Street to Palestine Street; the alley in Block 23 from Sherman street to north and south alley; the alley in Block 24 from Commerce Street to Main Street; the alley in Block 24 from Sherman Street to north and south alley; the alley in Block 55 from Sherman St. to McKinney St.; the alley in Block 56 from Sherman Street to McKinney Street, in the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, plans and specifications for the improvement of said alleys have been duly prepared and approved as required by the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia; and,

WHEREAS, as required by said Statutes, Charter and Ordinances, after advertisement for bids for said work improvement had been made, said work of improvement was let to Uvalde Paving Company to improve with one course reinforced concrete pavement, as provided by said plans and specifications; and,

WHEREAS, a written contract has been entered into by and between the City of Mexia and Uvalde Paving Company on the 2nd day of July, 1924, for the construction of said improvement:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA: That the plans and specifications and report or statement of the City Engineer filed with the City Commission, describing the abutting property and giving the names of property owners, and number of front feet and the cost of improvement chargeable against each abutting property and its owner, having been duly examined, is hereby approved. That the City Commission does hereby determine to assess three-fourths of the cost of all improvements, against the owners of the property abutting thereon, and against their property, in accordance with the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the said assessment shall be made after the notice to such property owners and the hearing herein mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against such property owners on said alleys, and their property, shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule in the proportion that the frontage of the property of each owner on each particular alley or portion thereof named to be improved bears to the frontage of the whole property to be improved on that particular alley; provided, that after such hearing, if such plan of apportionment be found to be not just and equitable in particular instances the City Commission shall so apportion all said cost as to produce a substantial equality between all such property owners abutting on the particular alley or portion thereof to be improved, having in view the enhanced value of that property and the benefits derived from such improvement, and the burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and that in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced value of such property by reason of such improvement. That the proportionate cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties shall become due and payable in three equal installments, one third thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the improvement on said alley, one third one year after said date, and one third two years after said date, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date of completion and acceptance of the improvement on the particular alley or portion thereof named to be improved. That the total proportionate part of the cost of such improvement which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their respective properties and the names of the owners of property abutting upon said alleys aforesaid, properties to be improved, and the description of that property and the several amounts proposed to be assessed against them respectively for paving and for side walks, and the grand total thereof, is as follows:

Property Owner	Lots	Block	Front Ft. Paving @ $3.525	Amt.
Mrs. J. C. Yeldell	N½1-2-3	56	75.	$264.38
Fred R. Klotz	4	56	23.	83.13
A. C. Campbell Est.	5	56	25.	88.13
E. Watson	6	56	25.	88.13
Mrs. M. B. Kemp	7-8	56	50.	176.25
City of Mexia	9-10	56	50.	176.26
Welch Motor Co.	11-12	56	50.8	179.03
G. M. Tidwell	13	56	25.5	89.90
Frank Knoff, Jr.	14	56	24.5	86.37
R. E. Hickman	15	56	25.	88.13
J. E. Phillips	16	56	25.	88.13
Cheeves Bros.	17-18	56	50.	176.25
Robertson & Bass	19	56	25.	88.13
Mrs. M. B. Kemp	20	56	25.	88.13
Paul Lobit	1	55	25.	88.13
Fred Karner	2	55	25.	88.13
W. M. Corley Est.	3	55	25.	88.13
Jno. R. Corley	4	55	25.	88.13
W. M. Corley Est.	5	55	25.	88.13
Dr. T. F. Oates	6	55	25.	88.13
Pat B. Jones	7	55	25.	88.13
Mrs. H.L.Houx & hus.	N.P.Houx 8	55	25.	88.13
Fred Steinmetz	9	55	25.	88.13
Mexia Battery & Tire Co.	10	55	25.	88.13
Mexia B & T. Co.	11-12-13-14-15	55	125.	440.65
W. J. Wright	16	55	25.	88.13
Julius Desenberg	S½17-18-19-20	55	100.	525.50
Magnolia Petroleum Co.	1-2	24	50.	176.26
Peden Iron & Steel Co.	S22' of 3	24	22.	77.55
Oil Well Supply Co.	N2' of 3&4	24	28.	98.70
Nat'l Supply Co.	5 & S10' of 6	24	25.	323.33
J. K. Hughes Oil Co.	E½7-8-9-10	24	115.	405.87
H. C. Roller	11	24	143.75	506.72
T. A. White	12-13	24	57.5	202.69
Mrs. Mattie J. Smith	14	24	28.75	101.34
Farmers State Bk	N½15-16-17-18	24	143.75	506.72
Jos. Nussbaum Co.	S½15-16-17-18	24	89.25	304.02
Prendergast Smith Nat Bk	1-2-3-4-5	23	125.	440.65
W. D. Pittman	6-7	23	50.	176.25
R. L. Wheelock	8-9	23	50.	176.25
J. L. Thompson	Pt.10	23	25.	88.13
Citizens Opera House	N½11-12-13-14	23	57.5	202.69
Mrs. Mary C. Alexander & hus.				
C. P. Alexander	N½ofS½11-12-13-14	23	28.75	101.34
Community P.&L.Co.	S½11-12-13-14	23	143.75	506.72
City Natl Bank	15	23	28.75	101.34
A. T. Schulz	16	23	28.75	101.34
Karner & Phillips	17	23	28.75	101.34
N. Y. Long Est.	18	23	143.75	506.72
			2420.8	$8,533.56

SUMMARY OF ALLEY PAVING

City's Part Paving	$2,844.52
Property Owners' Part Paving	8,533.56
Total	$11,378.08

That a hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, and any person or persons interested in said improvements, before the City Commission of the City of Mexia, as provided by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, which said hearing shall be had on the 29th day of July, 1924, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. in the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and which said hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time, as may be necessary to give all said property owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, a full and fair hearing, and said owners, their agents or attorneys, and any interested person or persons, shall have the right to appear and be heard in any manner concerning the said improvements or said assessment, or the benefits thereof to their said property, or any other matter or thing in connection therewith, or to contest said assessment, and at such hearing a full and fair opportunity shall be extended to said property owners owners, their agents or attorneys, and to all interested persons, to be heard with respect to such improvements.

That after the conclusion of the hearing above mentioned such sum or sums as may be determined by the City Commission to be payable by said property owners shall be assessed against them respectively, and against their respective properties, by ordinance or ordinances, in the manner prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia. That the City Secretary of the City of Mexia is hereby directed to give notice to said property owners, their agents or attorneys, of said hearing, as prescribed by the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Mexia, by publishing said notice three times in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Mexia, the first of said publications to be made at least ten days before the date set for said hearing. Said City Secretary shall also mail a copy of said notice by registered letter to each of said property owners, if known, or their agents or attorneys, if known, said letters to be deposited in the post office in the City of Mexia at least ten days before the date set for hearing. However, said notice by registered letter shall be cumulative only, and notice by publication shall be full, due and proper notice of said hearing.

That whereas, the fact that said portions of said alleys are in such urgent need of repair creates an emergency and imperative public necessity for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and property which requires that the rule requiring three several readings be suspended, and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Passed and approved, this 2 day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan,
City Secretary. 7(15-16-17)

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 12 day of August 1924, for the purpose of electing two persons to serve as members of the City Commission up to the first Tuesday in April, 1926, as provided by the Charter of the City of Mexia; designating the place at which said election is to be held and appointing presiding officers thereof, and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of July, 1924, there was submitted to the qualified voters of the said City of Mexia at an election, the Charter that was prepared and submitted by the Charter Commission which was elected on the 21st day of March, 1924, and at such election a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election voted in favor of the adoption of the Charter so submitted and,

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 7th day of July, 1924, and said results of said election duly certified and recorded by the presiding election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of July, 1924, the City Commission considered the returns and canvassed the same, and found that there was cast at said election 479 votes for the adoption of the Charter and 341 votes against the adoption of the Charter; and the Commission thereupon by resolution duly entered declared that the Charter so submitted was adopted by majority vote of the qualified voters of said City voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the Charter adopted provided that there should be elected two additional members of the City Commission to hold office until the first Tuesday in April, 1926, or until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA:

Section 1: That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 12th day of August, 1924, for the purpose of electing two additional members of the City Commission.

Section 2: That the polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows: The polling place shall be at the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and T. B. Chatham is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3: That an election shall be held under the provisions of Section 4, Article XVII of the Charter of the City of Mexia, Texas.

Section 4: All persons desiring to become candidates for members of the City Commission shall file their names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 8th day of August, 1924, at 5 o'clock p. m. and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot as candidates to be voted upon at said election.

Section 5: A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election and ten (10) days notice of the time and place of holding said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the place designated for holding said election, at least ten (10) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of said notice not less than ten (10) full days from day of the election.

Section 6: The fact that the Charter of the City of Mexia provides that there shall be five (5) members of the City Commission and that there are now only three creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this the 14th day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest: R. D. Morgan, City Secretary

AN ORDINANCE

Be It Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas:

Article 1: It shall be unlawful for any dog, either male or female, to run at large within the limits of the City of Mexia, Texas, unless wearing a license tag as hereinabove provided. Any dog found within the limits of the City of Mexia, unless confined in an enclosure, or is wearing a license tag as hereinafter provided whether accompanied by owner or alone, shall be killed without further notice to the owner.

Article 2: On and after the adoption of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for the City of Mexia, Texas, to issue a dog license tag to any owner or keeper of a dog within the limits of said City unless the application for said license is accompanied by a certificate of vaccination against rabies, signed by a recognized veterinarian, or some one else so authorized, setting forth that the dog for which the license is issued has been vaccinated against rabies within twelve months prior to the time of making the application.

Article 3: A license issued by said city under conditions set forth in Article Two (2) of this ordinance and, properly attached to a collar and worn continuously by the dog for which it was issued will remove all restrictions regarding confinement as set forth in Section One (1) of this ordinance.

Article 4: After the passage and publication of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the Chief of Police and of each Policeman of said City to kill every dog which is not wearing a license tag unless said dog is confined in an enclosure.

Article 5: All Ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Article 6: The fact that there is no ordinance regulating the licensing and vaccination of dogs creates an imperative public necessity that the rules requiring ordinances to be read on more than one day be and the same is hereby suspended and that this ordinance take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication, and it is so ordained.

Passed and approved as an emergency measure this the 12th day of July, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
Attest:
R. D. Morgan,
City Secretary. (Jul12-10t)

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.

For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN

For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)

For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN

For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS

For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.

For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)

For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.

For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.

For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)

For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM

For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)

For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C. FITZGERALD.

For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.

County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)

For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
ROY H. STOKES, (re-election, second term.)
VIRGIL D. WOOD

For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
M. P. WILLIS

H. & T. C.
EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—
345 From cut-off ..... 1:47 p. m.
15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.

South bound—
346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San nAtonio ..... 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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Here's How It Happened

The Inside Story of the National Democratic Convention.

By A. GARLAND ADAIR
Managing Editor of The Mexia Daily News

NUMBER FIVE.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

When the platform had been read, Chairman Walsh recognized former Secretary of War, Newton D. Baker, who arose to offer a minority report on the League of Nations. He read a plank of his own, which advocated the immediate entrance of this country in the League as now existing, without prior referendum as specified in the majority report. The minority plank denounced the Republican administration in this regard, saying that it had no foreign policy.

Arrangements were then made whereby the leader of the Majority report Homer S. Cummings was to divide time with Mr. Baker, author of the minority report.

Several speakers, agreeable to these gentlemen, were given time out of the debate period.

When Mr. Baker moved to the front to deliver his address, he was greeted with a flurry of applause. He spoke with fervor, asking the audience to back him up for complete adherence on the part of the country to the League.

"If you ever had it in your heart to give me your support, give it to me now; I need it," he cried out, and the thousands in the audience responded with a great volley of applause.

He declared that the report turned in by the Resolutions Committee with regard to the League was as fantastic a departure from Constitutional practice as he had ever heard of.

"The world will be a wreck unless war is done away with, and the natural avenue toward the elimination of war is through the League of Nations," he said.

The former secretary got a rise out of the audience every time he made a telling point. He said that there was nothing in the proposal embodied in his report to justify the suggestion that it might contemplate that this country surrender safeguards and enter the League unconditionally. There was a provision in it for reservations which the President and the United States might deem advisable. He ridiculed the idea of a referendum, declaring that under the wording of the majority report and the plan proposed making this test of public opinion on the question too much delay would result.

"Ah, my fellow men and women," he exclaimed in heartsearching tones, "I am not talking to fellow Democrats, I am talking to lovers of mankind." This emotional appeal brought the mighty crowd to its feet again. "I have heard so much about expediency during the days since I have been at this convention that it has made me sick."

The majority report, he went on, was a subterfuge. It proposes to substitute in the Democratic party the leadership of Henry Cabot Lodge for that of Woodrow Wilson.

The Ohio delegation got up at this point and cheered and cheeres and applause came from all parts of the galleries, from whence cries of "No." "No" could be heard.

When the former Secretary said that his allotment of time had been exhausted, the audience roared for him to go on, and he did, declaring that the majority plank was impossible, as contrary to the Constitution, which nowhere provided for a referendum of that sort.

He declared that there was no provision under which a referendum under Federal auspices could be held. Elections he pointed out were State functions. All the Federal government could do would be to call upon the government of the 48 states to hold such referendum elections. Some of the states have only biennial sessions of their Legislatures, so there would appear to be every opportunity for a substantial amount of "fullest consideration" he added, amidst laughter, citing some of the language in the plank he opposed." And some of the states might not even respond to the summons of the Federal government, for there is no power to compel such obedience.

Mr. Baker said that adoption of the majority plank by the convention would justify and mean headlines in the morning papers "Democratic Convention Repudiates Woodrow Wilson."

Throughout the address, the women of the Convention appeared to be for him as one, and banners were lifted by ladies in the Texas delegation as well as by ladies elsewhere, on which were written "For The League of Nations."

For several minutes after the fiery eloquence of Woodrow Wilson's friend and spokesman had ended the assemblage remained under the spell of his impassioned appeal that the Democratic party take up the work of the departed leader and do its share toward putting an end to war.

To a man the delegates arose and cheered. Many standards were raised in salute to the former Secretary of War under Wilson's administration who had spoken so eloquently and masterfully for world peace. It was very clear that the name of Woodrow Wilson and in his principles, ideals and policies there was magic to stir the convention and lift it out of itself.

The band was playing but was scarcely audible amid the cheers. With a crash of brass, it struck up, "Onward Christian Soldiers." Some took up the words of the grand old song and began to sing. The cheering did not cease until Newton D. Baker came forward again and bowed to the galleries and convention, which renewed his cheering for him. It was a demonstration to a great patriot and a big heart that had been stirred to battle, even alone if necessary for ideals that will never die.

(Editor's note. In Thursday's issue, The News will present the arguments in favor of the Majority plank and that will be followed by graphic and full accounts of the fight for and against the religious plank, involving the Ku Klux Klan.)

PRIMARY VOTERS

Not more than ten or fewer than three days before the first primary election, a voter expecting to be absent on the day of the election may cast an absent ballot with the County Clerk of the County of his or her residence.

Those desiring to avail themselves of the above law will be properly taken care of by my deputy, Mr. Allen C. Gillespie, at the Prendergast-Smith National Bank, Mexia, Texas.

Youss very truly,
J. L. DAY, County Clerk,
Limestone County.
(16-17-18 20)

EPWORTH LEAGUE ENJOYS PICNIC

The members of the Epworth League of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed a picnic at the Reunion grounds Tuesday night. A chicken lunch, with ice cream constituced the refreshments, and the affair was enjoyed by about twenty five members of the League. After the lunch the party went sight seeing over the grounds for an hour before returning to the city by moonlight.

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Boni de Castellane Gets Annulment.

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A comparison between Ford sales in 1924 and 1923 not only indicates a remarkable increase in the country's buying power, but also shows that this growth continues month by month. In every instance the monthly sales in 1924 have shown a substantial increase over the corresponding month in 1923. In June they reached 170,747 which was approximately 10,000 ahead of June sales in the preceding year.

These figures are for retail sales in the United States alone and do not take into consideration the sales made by foreign Ford branches and associated companies, the majority of which assemble cars from American made parts.

Perhaps the most encouraging sign of the times lies in the fact that these sales have been spread very evenly throughout the country and indicate a general prosperity that is not confined to any particular section.

A 'BROKEN OUT' FACE HOLDS YOU BACK

Many men and women of middle age feel that they have never had a chance to make anything out of themselves. But the main reason for it usually is that they let such things as pimples, rash, "breaking out", eczema, tetter, etc, on their face, neck, hands or arms, make them feel that they are not wanted around and they keep to themselves too much.

You can get just as much out of life as anyone. All you need is confidence in yourself, which you get naturally when you rid yourself of those skin troubles, if you just use Black and White Ointment and Soap. They are economically priced in generous packages. All dealers have them both. The 50c size of the Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.—(Adv.)

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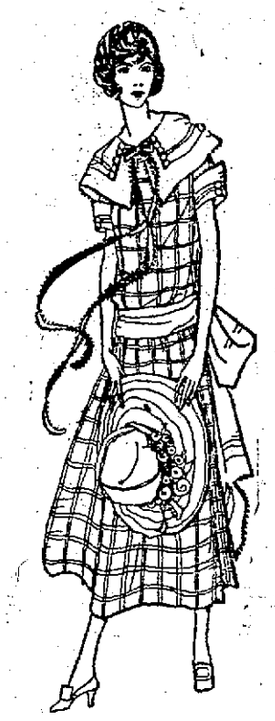

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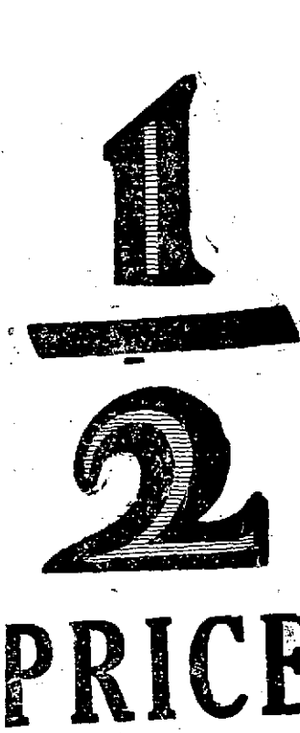

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Earl Cooper	5:06:47:18	97.89
Jimmy Murphy	5:08:25:39	97.27
Harry Hartz	5:10:44:89	96.55
Bennett Hill	5:11:07:00	96.46

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